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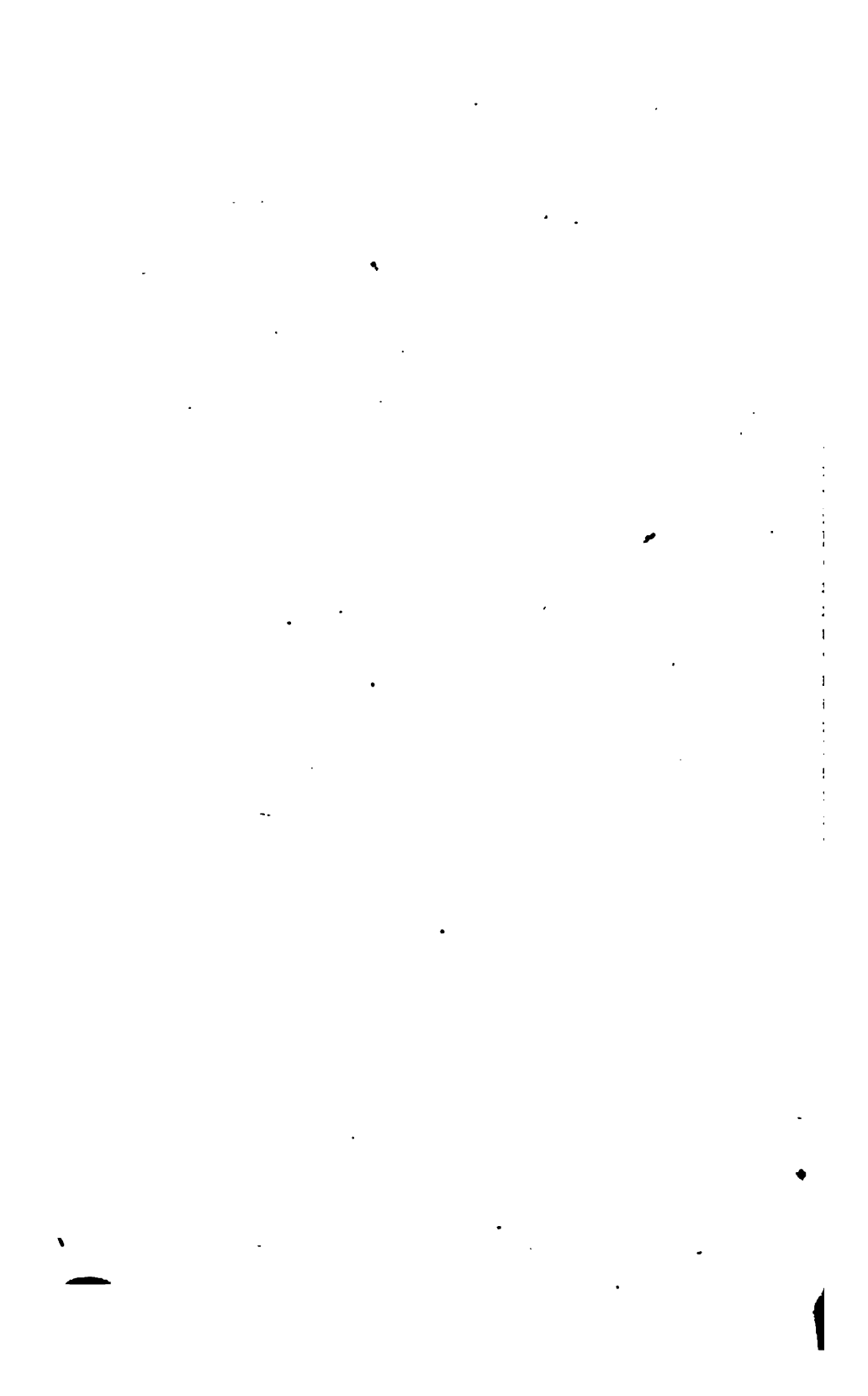
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PART III.



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On motion of Mr. Fenton,

The joint resolution was amended by striking out the words "a grant of land," in line 8, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "an appropriation of money."

The joint resolution was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Chanvin, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Van Fleet, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | White, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Speaker |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Beall,

Mr. Hawley,

2

The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Fenton,

The title was amended by striking out the words "a grant of land," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "an appropriation of money."

The title as amended, and the preamble were then agreed to.

The House resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 441, entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement of the Saginaw river, and to authorize the cities of Saginaw, East Saginaw, the townships of Zilwaukie, Buena Vista, Carrolton and Spaulding, in Saginaw county, to raise money by tax in aid thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | C. C. Smith, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | |

83

NAYS.

Mr. Jewell,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 244, entitled

A bill for the relief of railroads in the Upper Peninsula,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | McOutcheon, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dussseau, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Emery, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Fleet, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | White, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Hawley, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Hill, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | | |

67

NAYS.

| | | |
|----------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Ball | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Beall, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Boies, | Newcombe, | Wright, |
| Camburn, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Eck, | | |

16

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 226 entitled

A bill to amend section 28, of an act entitled an act to provide for assessing property at its true cash value, and for

levying and collecting taxes thereon, approved February 14, 1853, being section 809, of the compiled laws,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was amended by striking out all after the word "that," in section 1, and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "section 28 of an act entitled an act to provide for assessing property at its true cash value, and for levying and collecting taxes thereon, approved February 14, 1853, being section 809, of the compiled laws, be amended so as to read as follows."

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Ball,
Boies,
Bonine,
C. R. Brown,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Hawley,
Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,

Mr. Huckins,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Swift,
Taylor,
Upton,
Walker,
Warner,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,

47

NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,

Mr. Funston,
Haven,
Holt,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,
Mickley,
Murray,

Mr. Pearl,
Rookwood,
Shepherd,
C. C. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Van Fleet,
White,

| | | | |
|----------|---------------|----------|----|
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodman, | |
| Fellows, | Parker, | Speaker, | 36 |

House bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities in the counties of Berrien and Cass to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, in township eight south, range seventeen west, in said county of Berrien, or in township eight south, range sixteen west, in said county of Cass,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Sohars, |
| Beall, | Hill, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Bomine, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dussean, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Van Fleet, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Grier. | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. McOutcheon, | Mr. Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Hawley, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Holt, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Jenness, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Jewell, | Spence, | Speaker, |
| J. H. Jones, | | |

22

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 433, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships in the counties of Bay and Saginaw, to pledge their credit and to raise by tax or borrow money, to aid in the construction of the Bay City and East Saginaw railroad,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Hill, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Cressman, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mickly, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Haven, | | |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. McOutcheon, | Mr. Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Hawley, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Holt, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Jenness, | Spence, | Wright, |
| J. H. Jones, | | |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 342, entitled

A bill to authorize townships and cities in the counties of Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Jackson, by way of the villages of Adison and Hudson, and the township of Medina, to some point in Ohio, connecting with the Atlantic and Great Western railroad, or to some intermediate point,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was amended as follows:

1. By striking out in the 8th line of section 1, the words, "qualified property tax-paying," and inserting in the 9th line, between the words, "city" and "shall," the words, "paying taxes upon real or personal property, according to the last preceding assessment roll of said township or city;"

2. By striking out in the 5th line of section 2, the words, "qualified property tax-paying," and inserting between the words, "city" and "for," the words, "paying taxes upon real or personal property, according to the last preceding assessment roll of said township or city;" also by striking out in the 8th line the word "fifteen," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty;" also, by striking out the word "once," in the 10th line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "three times;"

3. By striking out in the 1st line of section 4, the words, "property tax-paying," and inserting between the words, "electors" and "shall," the following: "paying taxes upon real or personal property, according to the last preceding assessment roll of said township or city."

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,

Mr. Healy,
Hill,

Mr. Rookwood,
Schars,

Beall,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Haven,

Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,

Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
White,
Willard
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

61

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
W. G. Brown,
Fenton,
Hawley,
Holt,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Mr. J. H. Jones,
McCutcheon,
Murray,
Parker,
Pearl,
Spence,

Mr. Stannard,
Walker,
Warner,
Wilcox,
Woodward,
Wright,

19

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 179, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend section 26 chapter 161, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 3864, of compiled laws, relative to the real estate of deceased persons, approved March 15, 1861,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Beall, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | C. C. Smith, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | White, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hawley, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | | |

78

NAYS.

Mr. Newcombe,

Mr. Willard,

2

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 178, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the county of Sanilac,
and attach the same to Lapeer county,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Emery,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 74, entitled

A bill to detach township 33 north, of range 8 west, and frac-
tional township 33 north, of range 9 west, from the organized
township of Charlevoix, in the county of Emmet, and to organ-
ize the same into a township by the name of Marion,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the
members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,Mr. Schars,
Shepherd,

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Barber, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | White, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Speaker, 75 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Newell, |
| Fenton, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Grier, | Jenness, | Wright, 9 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Munising,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | O. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | E. Spalding, |

| | | |
|-----------|----------------|------------------|
| Canniff, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | White, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Hawley, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Holt, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Speaker, 69 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Fenton, | Mr. J. H. Jones, |
| Barber, | Grier, | Newell, |
| Beall, | Healy, | Sexton, |
| Camburn, | Huckins, | Van Fleet, |
| Dusseau, | Jenness, | Wright, 15 |

Title agreed to.

Mr. Hill moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect;

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 277, entitled

A bill to organize the county of Schoolcraft,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 408, entitled

A bill to provide for the completion of the Saginaw City and Owosso State road,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Holt, | O. C. Smith |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Bonine, | Howard, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Kedzie, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Locke, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Dussean, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Haven, | Schars, | |

58

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Boies, | McOutcheon, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Hawley, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Jenness, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| J. H. Jones, | Robinson, | Wright, |

24

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 418, entitled

A bill to improve the drainage and navigation of Thunder Bay river, in the counties of Alpena and Presque Isle, and appropriate State swamp lands therefor,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. L. D. Osborn,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 343, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 244, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 11, of the act entitled "an act to define the powers and duties of the boards of supervisors of the several counties, and to confer upon them certain local, administrative and legislative powers," approved April 8th, 1851, and being section 345, of the compiled laws,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Hawley, | Randall, | Woodmad, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Bockwood, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Corey, | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Spence, |
| Dussean, | R. Jones, | |

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 308, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for assessing property at its true value, and for levying and collecting taxes thereon, approved February 14, 1858, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved February 12, 1855, and February 14, 1858,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

The bill was amended by striking out the words "said acts," in line four, of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

"An act entitled an act to provide for assessing property at its true value, and for levying and collecting taxes thereon, approved February 14, 1853, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved February 12, 1855, and February 14, 1858."

Mr. Hopkins moved to amend the bill, by adding at the end of recited section 99, the following:

"Together with the costs of said conveyance and proofs herein required to be made by him;"

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Slayton moved to amend the bill by inserting after the word "therefore," in line 3, of recited section 99, the words "or that such lands ought not to have been sold or conveyed for any other cause;"

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Slayton moved to recommit the bill to the committee on the judiciary, with instructions to amend the same by inserting after the word "thereof," in line 3, of recited section 99, the words "or that such lands ought not to have been sold or conveyed for any other cause;"

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on the judiciary submitted the following report:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was recommitted House bill No. 308, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for assessing property at its true value, and for levying and collecting taxes thereon, approved February 14, 1853, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved February 12, 1855, and February 14, 1858,

With instructions to amend the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, amended in accordance with instructions, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. O. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Dusseau,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Crossman, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Dunlap, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Eck, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Emery, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Willcox, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Sexton, | Speaker, 60 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. A. S. Brown, | Mr. Corey, | Mr. W. H. Osborn, |
| Canniff, | Haven, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Miles, | White, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Wright, 12 |

Title agreed to.

House joint resolution No. 22, entitled

Joint resolution relative to the claim of the State of Michigan, against George M. Dewey, Edmond H. Hazelton, George H. Hazelton and George Bliss,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. McCutcheon, | Mr. P. S. Spaulding, |
| Bonine, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | L. D. Osborn, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | W. H. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | S. T. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Funsten, | Rockwood, | Warner, |
| Haven, | Sohars, | Willard, |
| Howard, | Slayton, | Woodward, |
| Jenness, | R. B. Smith, | Speaker, 30 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Randall, |
| Beall, | Holt, | Robinson, |
| Brownell, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Camburn, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Chauvin, | Locke, | C. C. Smith, |
| Corey, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | E. Spalding, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Newell, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Parker, | Woodman, |
| Hawley, | Pearl, | Wright, 42 |

Mr. Woodman moved to reconsider the vote, by which the joint resolution was not passed;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The joint resolution was laid on the table.

House bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to authorize and require county clerks to record soldiers' discharges,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | C. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |

Benine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dussean,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Hawley,
Healy,

J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Randall,
Rockwood,
Schars,

R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Corey,
Mead,

Mr. Robinson,

Mr. White,

4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of unliquidated swamp land contracts,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 282, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 102, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 10, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,

Mr. Hawley,
Healy,
Holt,
Howard,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Locke,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
S. T. Parsons,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Upton,
Walker,
White,
Willcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Hopkins,
Lovell,

Mr. Newcombe,

Mr. Van Vleet,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 328, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road
in Washington county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the mem-
bers elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,

Mr. Haven,
Hawley,
Healy,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Locke,
McOutcheon,

Mr. Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,

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| Corey, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Boies, | Mr. Parker, | Mr. Warner, |
| W. G. Brown, | Randall, | White, |
| Jenness, | Spence, | Wilcox, |
| J. H. Jones, | Stannard, | Wright, |
| Lovell, | Walker, | Speaker, |
| Murray, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 322, entitled

A bill for the protection of land, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Walker moved to amend the bill by adding at the end of the last section, the following:

"In any complaint, indictment or information under this law, it shall not be necessary to aver, nor in the trial shall it be necessary to prove, on the part of the prosecution, that the defendant had no color of title, tax, equitable or otherwise, to the premises on which such trespass is alleged to have been committed;"

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary, with instructions to amend as proposed.

The committee on the judiciary submitted the following report:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was recommitted House bill No. 322, entitled

A bill for the protection of land, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom,

With instructions to amend the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, amended in accordance with the instructions, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The House concurred, in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill,

Mr. Slayton moved to strike out the word "willfully," in line 2, of section 1, and insert the word "maliciously," in lieu thereof;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Schars, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Holt, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Howard, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| G. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Locke, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Lovell, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Mead, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Miles, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Newell, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | L. D. Osborn, | Speaker, |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | C. O. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Parker, | Walker, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | | |

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On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The vote was reconsidered by which the House refused to pass the bill.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. S. T. Parsons asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, after this evening, until next Monday.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 14, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 141, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and

cities, in the counties of Saginaw, Tuscola, Gratiot and Clinton, to donate or loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out the words "and Clinton," in line 2, section 1, and inserting the word "and" before the word "Shiawassee," in said line.

2. By striking out, in line 5, section 1, all after the word "amount," where it first occurs, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "raised for that purpose;" also, in line 6, by striking out the words, "by any such municipality;" also, by striking out the word "one," in said line; also, by striking out the word "six," in said line, and inserting in lieu, the word "four."

3. By striking out of line four, section 2, the words, "so donated or loaned," and insert in lieu, the word "raised;" also, by striking out all of line 5, of said section, after the word "pledged;" also, by striking out the word "given," in line 6, of said section.

4. By striking out the word "plank," in line 1, of section 4, and inserting, in lieu thereof, the word "wagon;" also, by striking out all of said section, after the word "aftresaid," in line 6.

5. By inserting in line 4 of Sec. 5, after the word "be," the following words: "authorized in the manner provided in this act, and such sums as from time to time shall be."

6. By striking out all after the word "fund," in line 2, Sec. 7, and add the following: "To be drawn therefrom, as provided in section 4."

The Senate has also amended the title by adding after the word "Saginaw," the word "Bay," and by striking out the word "Clinton," and inserting the word "Shiawassee," and by striking out the words "to donate or loan money or pledge their credit;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has

ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Randall, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Rockwood, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | Schars, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Sexton, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | O. C. Smith, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | E. Spalding, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Van Vleet, | 2 |
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The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

S^r—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to attach certain sections in the township of Scipio, county of Hillsdale, to the township of Fayette, in said county;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and,
On motion of Mr. Canniff,

The rules were suspended, and the bill placed on the order of third reading.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The order of business was suspended, and the House went into the committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Boies in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to amend section 2, of an act entitled an act to provide for the protection of game in the State of Michigan, being act No. 278, of the session laws of 1865;

2. House bill No. 290, being

A bill to reimburse and compensate the German Christian Agricultural and Benevolent Society for the construction of drains and ditches on the State swamp lands, in the county of Huron, by an appropriation of Swamp lands therefor;

3. House bill No. 298, entitled

A bill to provide for the reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the plank road between Midland and Bay City, north, to the intersection of the Saginaw and

Sable State road, to be known as the Bangor and Maple Ridge State road;

4. House bill No. 109, entitled

A bill to regulate the hours of labor;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following bills:

5. House bill No. 351, entitled

A bill for the incorporation of industrial and other charitable schools;

6. House bill No. 326, entitled

A bill to amend section 39, of chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5783, of the compiled laws, relative to false pretenses;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. White,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the first four named bills, and the bills were placed on the order of third reading.

The last two named bills were also placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. White,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

Lansing, Saturday, March 16, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. McIntire.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent at roll call, without leave, Messrs. Brownell, Emerson and Kedzie.

Mr. Crossman asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Kedzie, until Monday.

Mr. W. H. Osborn asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, after to-day, until Monday noon.

Mr. Upton asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, until Monday noon.

Mr. E. Spalding asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, until next Tuesday.

Mr. Spence asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for the day.

Mr. Emery asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for the day.

Mr. Emery asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Brownell, for the day.

Mr. Rockwood asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. VanVleet, until noon.

Mr. McKernan asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Emerson.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. Walker: petition of W. G. Boswell and 88 others, residents of the township of Choccolay, in the county of Marquette, praying for the repeal of the act organizing the county of Washington, verified as to signatures, by affidavits attached;

Also, petition of Peter White, John Burt, O. H. Beach, C. H. Lovelace and 489 others, of the village of Marquette, the Bancroft furnace and the Collins iron company's furnace, all in the township of Marquette, and county of Marquette, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of B. M. Colwell and 100 others, residents at Morgan furnace, in the county of Marquette, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of J. W. Ray, superintendent of the Iron Cliffs mine, E. Rowland, superintendent of the Iron Mountain mine,

and 37 others, residents of those mines, in the township of Negaunee, county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of F. P. Mills and 183 others, residents at the Cleveland mine, in the township of Negaunee, and county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of W. N. Colburn and 85 others, residents at Greenwood furnace, in the county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of H. G. Williams and 55 others, residents at New England mine and New Opening, at Lake Superior mine, in the township of Negaunee, county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of G. D. Johnson and 179 others, residents at Lake Superior mine, in the township of Negaunee, county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of John Richardson and 108 others, of Washington mine, in the county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of H. J. Colwell and 118 others, residents of Clarksburg, Washington county, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of John R. Case and 41 others, residents at the Champion furnace, in Washington county, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of Harvey Diamond and 81 others, residents at the Pittsburg and Lake Angelina mine, in the township of Negaunee, county of Washington, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of William Ferguson and 24 others, residents at the New York mine, in the township of Negaunee, county of Washington, for the same purpose.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The several petitions were laid on the table.

By Mr. Hawley: petition of George F. Bagley, H. P. Bridge and 11 others, citizens of Detroit, asking the Legislature to pass the bill making two hundred pounds a barrel of flour and three hundred pounds a barrel of salt.

On motion of Mr. Hawley,

The petition was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hawley: petition of H. M. Cheever, W. E. Cheever, Levi Bishop, C. J. O'Flynn, Hoyt Post, F. H. Canfield, A. H. Wilkinson, C. N. Riopelle, A. M. Nichols, R. Hawley and 7 others, asking the Legislature to pass a law allowing notaries public to be appointed in the county in which they do business.

On motion of Mr. Hawley,

The petition was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and this day presented to the Governor, the following bill:

A bill to authorize townships and cities in the counties of Wayne, Oakland, Washtenaw, Livingston and Ingham, to loan money or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad, on the most direct and feasible route from the city of Detroit to the city of Lansing.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred

A bill to amend sections 1135, 1136 and 1137, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 33, of said laws, relative to the recording of town plats and the vacating of the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was recommitted House bill No. 822, entitled

A bill for the protection of land, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. W. G. Brown,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Spence, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Sweeney, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

NAYS.

Mr. Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Funston,
Jewell,
R. Jones,

Mr. McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Murray,
Parker,
Randall,
Rockwood,
Shetterly,

Mr. Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
Willard,
Wilson,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 218, entitled

A bill to legalize the tax roll of the township of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, for the year 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Detroit and Lake St. Clair Plank Road Company;

Also, certain petitions for and a remonstrance against the passage of said bill,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the bill back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind:

The committee on Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, at Flint, and for completing the west wing thereof, and erecting others,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

T. WHITE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on the State Prison:

The committee on the State Prison, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 195, entitled

A bill to repeal section 70, of chapter 172, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 6226 of the compiled laws,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. H. JONES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on ways and means:

The committee on ways and means, to whom was referred a resolution to inquire and ascertain whether the Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General, has returned and paid over to the State all moneys received by him for the benefit of the State, have had the same under consideration, and respectfully ask leave to make the following report:

The terms of the resolution are quite general, and involved an investigation of the receipts and disbursements of public moneys by the late Auditor General, as well as an examination of the method, in some respects, of doing business in that office. The committee have devoted as much time to the discharge of the delicate duty, imposed by the resolution, as their official engagements would permit, and have availed themselves of all the information in their power, having had before them Mr. Anneke and a number of other gentlemen familiar with the business and duties of the Auditor General's office. As the result of their investigations, they have been unable to trace any moneys of the State in the hands of the late Auditor General, unaccounted for, except *fees and charges received for abstracts and searches* made, during the last three years of his administration. It is admitted that all such receipts for the last three years have not been accounted for to the State, but have been retained and appropriated by the Auditor General to his own personal use as legitimate and proper fees belonging to him as perquisites of his office.

As these fees and charges amounted, in 1862, to about six hundred dollars, and in 1863, to nearly nine hundred dollars, and were, when accounted for, steadily increasing each year, in the judgment of the committee it is fair to presume that the amount for the past three years would fully equal, if not exceed, the sum of one thousand dollars per annum. Can these fees be properly applied to the personal use of the Auditor General? We apprehend they cannot. The constitution of the State provides that the Auditor General shall have an annual salary of one thousand dollars, and does not provide

that he shall receive any fees or perquisites whatever, for the performance of any duties connected with his office. To us this provision is manifest and plain. It was designed by the framers of that instrument to prescribe the salary of the Auditor and to prohibit him from receiving any other compensation for his services in that capacity. The appropriation of these moneys to the personal use of the Auditor, is sought to be justified on the ground that from the time of the adoption of the constitution until January, 1855, no account of these moneys was rendered to the State, and that during that period they were applied by the Auditor General to his own individual use. The committee are informed that it is true that these moneys were so applied by the person who held the office of Auditor General at the time of the adoption of the constitution, and for several years thereafter. But in 1855, it was held by the Auditor General, (and as we think, correctly,) that these moneys belonged to the State, and from that time until some three years since, they have been regularly accounted for, and paid into the State treasury. Because officials, years ago, saw fit to disregard the policy plainly contemplated by the constitution and laws, it seems to us no justification for the pursuit of a like course by another man. But independent of the constitution and laws, it seems to the committee that these charges should properly go into the State treasury. This business is not of rare occurrence, happening but seldom, like a search with reference to the condition of taxes against a description of land. Frequently full tax histories have been made, requiring a large amount of copying and the labor of one or more clerks for weeks successively. As an illustration of the labor and expense of such histories, we may state that one recently made for the county of Shiawassee, was estimated to be worth two hundred and seventy-five dollars, and another for the county of Branch, two hundred and twenty-five dollars. Indeed, the committee are advised that during the last three months of Mr. Anneke's administration, some five clerks, all of whom were paid by the State, were almost constantly engaged in making these tax his-

tories, the avails of which labor went wholly to the Auditor General. The committee think they may safely estimate that not less than two thousand dollars have been paid to clerks from the State treasury within the past three years, for labor of this kind, for which the late Auditor General has received pay, in his personal capacity. We are informed that the full time of more than one clerk is required to discharge the duties for which fees and charges are thus made and received.

Now if the Auditor may appropriate the time of one clerk to his own personal use and benefit, he may in like manner appropriate the services of other clerks. If he may keep one clerk at work on abstracts or histories for which he receives the fees, he may keep ten clerks at work on similar jobs, if he can get them to do, and the State, instead of paying him one thousand dollars per annum, may in fact, be paying him ten times that amount. But we are told that the salary of the Auditor General is very low, and without the appropriation to himself of these fees, Mr. Anneke could not have decently supported himself and family, in this city. This may be true; but nevertheless, Mr. Anneke accepted the office with a full understanding of the amount that he was to receive for his services. In taking the position he virtually bargained with the State to fulfill the duties imposed thereby, for the salary fixed by the constitution and laws. Upon this understanding he acted for nearly the whole of the first year that he discharged the duties of this important and responsible office. We think he should have continued in that course, and that in adopting a different policy, he misappropriated a part of the moneys of the State received by him. Upon full and mature consideration, the committee are unanimously of the opinion that Mr. Anneke should account for, and pay over to the State all moneys received by him on account of fees and charges while in said office, deducting therefrom any sum or sums paid by him to clerks engaged in making such abstracts. Under our view of the law, his salary of one thousand dollars per annum, and the use of the dwelling-house owned by the State, occupied by him

without charge during his administration, is all that he can lawfully and properly receive for his services as Auditor General.

The committee in candidly and frankly expressing their views upon the subject, desire to cast no reflections upon the manner in which the late Auditor General discharged the duties of that office. They have no fault to find with the general management and conduct of affairs there by Mr. Annaka. They make no imputations upon him of corrupt conduct; but they believe that under a misapprehension of his right to do so, he has retained moneys that properly belong to the State; and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. WILCOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. L. Smith moved that five hundred copies of the report be ordered printed for the use of the House;

Mr. Corey moved to amend the motion by striking out the words "five hundred," and inserting the words "one thousand," in lieu thereof;

Which motion did not prevail.

The question being upon the motion of Mr. L. Smith,

Mr. Hawley demanded the yeas and nays.

The demand was not seconded.

Mr. L. Smith withdrew his motion.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The report was ordered printed.

Mr. Fenton asked leave to introduce a concurrent resolution;

Objected to by Mr. O. R. Brown.

By the committee on education:

The majority of the committee on education, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 115, entitled

A bill to establish an institute of learning, to be called the Michigan Female College;

Also, petition of M. E. Crofoot, A. McKinly and others, citizens of Pontiac, relative to the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and report the bill back to the House, recommending that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. C. KEDZIE,
GEO. K. NEWCOMBE,
JOHN Q. McKERNAN.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the minority of the committee on education:

The undersigned, a minority of the committee on education to whom was referred Senate bill No. 115, entitled

A bill to establish an institution of learning, to be called the Michigan Female College;

Also, the petition of M. E. Crofoot, A. McKinly and others, relative to the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

L. S. PARMELEE.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to prevent the destruction of muskrats and muskrat houses in the townships of Olay, Cottrellville and Ira, in the county of St. Clair;

Also,

An act to authorize the planting and protecting of shade and ornamental trees in the highways in the township of Hudson, Lenawee county;

Also,

An act to amend section 3 and section 13, of act No. 218, of the session laws of 1861, relative to actions for forcible or unlawful entry and detainer;

Also,

An act to authorize school district No. 2, of the township of Jefferson, in the county of Hillsdale, to borrow money to buy a school-house site and build a school-house thereon; .

Also,

An act to amend section 3544, of the compiled laws, relating to proceedings in courts of chancery, against absent, concealed and non-resident defendants;

Also,

An act to add a new section to chapter 180, of the compiled laws, in regard to evidence in certain criminal cases;

Also,

An act to authorize union school district number one, of the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry, to issue bonds and borrow money, for the purpose of building a school-house;

Also,

An act to amend section 3837, of the compiled laws, in regard to appeal bonds;

Also,

An act to extend aid to the University of Michigan;

Also,

An act to authorize school district No. 8, of the township of Castleton, in the county of Barry, to issue bonds and borrow money for the purpose of building a school-house;

Also,

An act to vacate the township of Pewabic, in the county of Ontonagon, and attach the same to the townships of Ontonagon, Rockland and Carp Lake, in said county of Ontonagon;

Also,

An act to change the name of the first St. Peters' United Reform Lutheran Church of Lenox, Macomb county, to the first St. Peters' United Lutheran Church, of Lenox, Macomb county;

Also,

An act to repeal all existing laws, rules and provisions of law, restricting or controlling the right of a party to agree with an attorney, solicitor or counselor, for his compensation, and to more accurately fix and determine the costs to be allowed to the prevailing parties in suits at law, in the circuit court;

Also,

An act to change the name of the township of Lafayette, in the county of Van Buren, to that of Paw Paw;

• Also,

An act to authorize the board of trustees of (graded) fractional school district No. 7, Brooklyn and Columbia, in the county of Jackson, to borrow money to enlarge the school-house in said district;

Also,

An act to authorize (graded) school No. 8, of the township of Ingham, in the county of Ingham, to raise by tax, and borrow money, for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

An act to confirm the title of the Northern Central Michigan Railroad Company, to the property, rights and franchises acquired by it of the Amboy, Lansing and Traverse Bay Railroad Company;

Also,

Joint resolution asking Congress for an appropriation of land to aid in the construction of a railroad from Menominee, in Menominee county, to Houghton, in Houghton county.

HENRY H. ORAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 160, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of improvements upon homestead lands as personal property;

2. House bill No. 177, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Riverside, in the county of Wayne;

3. House bill No. 352, entitled

A bill to amend sections 34 and 35, of an act to incorporate the city of Monroe, approved March 22, A. D. 1837; also, to amend section 2, of an act entitled an act to amend an act to incorporate the city of Monroe, approved Feb. 15, 1842;

4. House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to fix the boundaries of Bay City;

5. House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Ionia, approved February 17, 1865;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolutions:

1. House joint resolution No. 18, entitled

Joint resolution asking a grant of lands for a railroad from the iron mining region of the Upper Peninsula to Munising and the Straits of Mackinaw;

2. House joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution relative to the location and sale of lands donated to the State of Michigan, for the endowment of colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The joint resolutions were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following: /

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 194, entitled

A bill to provide for the completion of the Cass river and Bay City State road;

2. Senate bill No. 247, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, and to repeal sections 2 and 3, of act No. 192, of session laws of 1865, and amending section 5, of act No. 164, of the laws of 1859;

3. Senate bill No. 254, entitled

A bill making appropriation for the State Normal school,

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the Asylum for the Insane.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Woodman, by unanimous consent, moved to amend rule 28 of the House, by inserting in line 5, after the word "present," the words "and voting;"

Also, to amend rule 59, by adding thereto the words "and voting."

Mr. Willard moved, as a substitute for the motion, as far as rule 28 is concerned, to strike out of the rule the word "present," and insert in lieu thereof, the words "of the House;"

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Newcombe moved to amend the motion by adding thereto the following:

"*Provided*, That those voting to suspend the rule shall be two-thirds of a majority of all the members of the House;"

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to amend the rules was not agreed to.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 21, entitled

A bill to amend certain sections of an act entitled an act to repeal chapter 122, of the revised statutes of 1846, and the amendments thereto, and provide for the collection of demands against water craft, approved February 5, 1864;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out all after the word "court," in the 8th line of recited section 42;
2. By striking out all of section 6, and recited section 45;
3. By adding a new section to stand as section 6, to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. All acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

' Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | C. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | |

NAYS.

Mr. Ball, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Warner, 3

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 14, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 105, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 301, of the session laws of 1865, being an act entitled an act to regulate the tolls on plank roads in Bay, Clinton, Gratiot and Saginaw counties;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting in line three, section 1, after the word "Gratiot," the word "Tuscola;"

2. By inserting in line 8, of recited section 1, after the word "Gratiot," the word "Tuscola;"

3. By inserting in line 12, of recited section 1, after the word "two," the words "and a half;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,

Mr. Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,

Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dussean,
Eck,
Funston,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,

R. Jones,
Lovell,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,

O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Walker,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 186, entitled

A bill to amend section 18, of act 272, of the session laws of 1865, relative to hawkers and peddlers;

In the passage of which the Senate has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to re-transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 49, entitled

A bill to provide for the protection and preservation of fish in the lakes, ponds, rivers and creeks, in the counties of Oakland, Genesee, Livingston, Cass, Hillsdale and Lenawee,

Which the House amended as follows:

By striking out of section one, line three, after the word "of," the words "Oakland, Livingston, Cass, Genesee, Lenawee," and inserting after the word "and," in section 1, line 3, the following: "the townships of Bloomfield, West Bloomfield, Pontiac and Waterford, in the county of Oakland, and the township of Paw Paw, in the county of Van Buren,"

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the amendment made by the House, by inserting after the word "Pontiac," the words "Commerce, White Lake," in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Walker moved that the House concur in the amendment made by the Senate to the amendments made to the bill by the House;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Lovell, | O. C. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Newcombe, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Newell, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Holt, | Robinson, | Wilson, |

Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,

Rockwood,
Schars,
Sexton,

Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker, 60

NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Barber,
A. S. Brown,

Mr. Corey,
Dussean,
Hawley,

Mr. R. Jones,
White,
Wright, 9

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 314, entitled

A bill to authorize the Hamtramck and Warren plank road,
company to increase the tolls on said road,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the mem-
bers elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dussean,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Hawley,
Healy,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Walker,
Warner,
Willcox,
Willard,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Chauvin,

Mr. Lovell,
White,

Mr. Wilson, 5

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Shetterly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 318, entitled

A bill relating to the planting of trees or shrubs in the highways, being a bill to amend section (1111,) being section 2, of chapter 25, of the compiled laws, and to add two new sections thereto,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Sweeney, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Dusseault, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|------------|-------------|---|
| Mr. Beall, | Mr. Hawley, | 2 |
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 324, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Marquette, approved February 10, 1859,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Schars, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezey, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 385, entitled

A bill to authorize the common council of the city of Detroit to divide any ward of said city into two wards or election districts, and to provide for the registration of qualified electors therein,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Rockwood, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Beall, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Sweezey, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Camburn, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Wright,

4

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 327, entitled

A bill to authorize the collection of fines in certain cases by execution,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezey, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, |

Eck,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Healy,

L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Randall,

Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

59

NAYS.

Mr. A. S. Brown,
Fellows,
Grier,

Mr. Hawley,
Sexton,
Shetterly,

Mr. Wilson,
Wright,

8

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 388, entitled

A bill to amend section 465, of chapter 10, of the compiled laws, being section 117, of chapter 14, of the revised statutes of 1846,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Newcombe moved to recommit the bill to the committee on the judiciary, with instructions to amend the same, so as to require each notary public to pay into the State Treasury, the sum of five dollars;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Newcombe moved to recommit the bill to the committee on the judiciary, with instructions to amend the same, so as to require each notary to keep a seal, a copy of which shall be deposited with the Secretary of State;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
O. R. Brown,
Chauvin,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Funston,
Grier,
Hawley,
Healy,

Mr. Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Miles,
Murray,
Packard,
Parker,
Robinson,
Schars,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Sweezey,
Walker,
White,
Willard,

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Randall, |
| Barber, | Holt, | Rockwood, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Howard, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Huckins, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Warner, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Wilcox, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Wilson, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe,] | Woodward, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodman, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Speaker, 42 |

Mr. Hopkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Ball moved to lay the motion on the table;

Which motion prevailed.

House bill No. 880, entitled

A bill for the protection of females,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | O. C. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Swezey, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | *Newcombe, | White, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Woodward, |

Grier,
Hawley,
Healy,
Holt,

Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker

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NAYS.

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

Mr. White moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill for the protection of the rights of women;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

The title was amended by inserting the words "the rights of," before the word "females."

The title as amended, was then agreed to.

House bill No. 346, entitled

A bill to authorize the use of the metric system of weights and measures,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barber,
Beall,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,
Hawley,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
Spence,
Stevens,
Swezey,
Walker,
White,
Willard,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Boies,
O. R. Brown,

Mr. R. Jones,
Mickley,
Randall,
Robinson,

Mr. Stannard,
Taylor,
Warner,
Wilcox,

Camburn,
Crossman,
Greenfield,

Sexton,
C. C. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,

Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman, 21

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 269, entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of the interest on the State debt,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,
Hawley,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 66

NAYS.

Mr. Parker,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill making appropriation for the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, for deficiencies for the years 1865 and 1866,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Sohars, |
| Ball | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | C. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Ganniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Gamburn, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Sweezey, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Dussean, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hawley, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

Mr. Parker,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 40, entitled

A bill to provide an additional sum for the payment of members and officers of the Legislature for the year 1867,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Sohars, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Slayton, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Bonine, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hawley, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

Mr. Parker,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 351, entitled

A bill for the incorporation of industrial and other charitable schools,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Barber | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Walker, |

Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Hawley,

Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to change the name of Florence Kipp to Flora Woodruff,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boles,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Mr. Hawley,
Healy,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Levell,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,

Mr. Rockwood,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Holt,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 315, entitled

A bill to prevent fishing with seines and every kind of continuous nets, in the waters of the county of St. Joseph,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,

Mr. Holt,

Mr. Schars,

Ball,

Hopkins,

Sexton,

Barber,

Howard,

Shepherd,

Beall,

Huckins,

Shetterly,

Boies,

Jenness,

Slayton,

Bonine,

Jewell,

C. C. Smith,

A. S. Brown,

J. H. Jones,

L. Smith,

C. R. Brown,

R. Jones,

R. B. Smith,

W. G. Brown,

Lovell,

P. S. Spaulding,

Canniff,

McOutcheon,

Stannard,

Camburn,

McKernan,

Stevens,

Corey,

Mead,

Sweeney,

Crossman,

Mickley,

Taylor,

Dunlap,

Murray,

Walker,

Dussean,

Newcombe,

Warner,

Eck,

L. D. Osborn,

White,

Fenton,

W. H. Osborn,

Wilcox,

Funston,

Packard,

Willard,

Glavin,

Parker,

Wilson,

Greenfield,

Pearl,

Woodward,

Grier,

Randall,

Woodman,

Hawley,

Robinson,

Wright,

Healy,

Rockwood,

Speaker, 69

NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to attach certain sections, in the township of Scipio, county of Hillsdale, to the township of Fayette, in said county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | O. C. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | |

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Canniff,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 312, entitled

A bill to provide against the recovery of damages done by beast or beasts on lands not enclosed by lawful fences, within the bounds of the townships of Grosse Point, Greenfield and Springwells, in the county of Wayne,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Ball, | Hawley, | Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| Canniff, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | White, |
| Dussseau, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. P. S. Spaulding, | Mr. Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Stannard, | Walker, |
| Huckins, | Sweezy, | Woodman, |
| W. H. Osborn, | | |

10

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 317, entitled

• A bill supplementary to an act to authorize the formation of corporations for mining, smelting and manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved Feb. 15, 1853,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |

| | | | |
|-------------|---------------|-----------|----|
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, | |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stevens, | |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezey, | |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Taylor, | |
| Eck, | Murray, | Warner, | |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | White, | |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, | |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, | |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Wilson, | |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Woodward, | |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodman, | |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | Speaker, | |
| Holt, | Scharf, | | 65 |
| | NAYS. | | 0 |

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands lying in the vicinity of Flat river, in the counties of Montcalm and Mecosta, by means of straightening, deepening and removing obstructions in the channel of said river,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|----|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hawley, | Mr. Scharf, | |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shepherd, | |
| Barber, | Holt, | Shetterly, | |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Slayton, | |
| Bonine, | Howard, | O. C. Smith, | |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | L. Smith, | |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, | |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, | |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Stevens, | |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Sweezey, | |
| Corey, | Miles, | Taylor, | |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Warner, | |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, | |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, | |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, | |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilson, | |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Woodward, | |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Woodman, | |
| Greenfield, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Speaker, | 60 |

NAYS.

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Mr. Jenness, R. Jones, | Mr. Lovell, McCutcheon, | Mr. Pearl, Stannard, | 6 |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---|

Title agreed to.

Mr. L. Smith moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 372, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties, approved February 19, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Being under consideration,

Mr. Grier moved to lay the bill on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Ball moved to amend the bill by striking out the words, "two counties," in line 8, of section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "one county;"

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|---|--|---|
| Mr. Aitken, Barber, Beall, Benedict, Boies, Bonine, A. S. Brown, O. R. Brown, W. G. Brown, Canniff, Camburn, Chauvin, Corey, Grossman, Dunlap, Dussau, | Mr. Grier, Healy, Holt, Hopkins, Howard, Huckins, Jenness, Jewell, J. H. Jones, R. Jones, Lovell, McCutcheon, McKernan, Mead, Mickley, Miles, | Mr. Pearl, Randall, Robinson, Rockwood, Sohars, Shepherd, Shetterly, Slayton, O. C. Smith, L. Smith, R. B. Smith, P. S. Spaulding, Stannard, Sweezy, Taylor, Warner, |
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Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,

Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,

Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 66

NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Greenfield,

Mr. Sexton,
Stevens,

Mr. Walker,
Wilson, 6

Title agreed to.

Mr. Boies moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect;

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 805, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 278, of the session laws of 1865, being an act entitled an act to amend section 821, it being section 39, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Dussean,

Mr. Glavin,
Grier,
Healy,
McCutocheon,
Mead,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Randall,

Mr. Schars,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
Sweezey,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Wright, 30

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Beall,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
Mickley,
Miles,

Mr. Robinson,
Shetterly,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Taylor,
Walker,
Warner,
White,

Funston,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Holt,

Newcombe,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,

Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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On motion of Mr. Ball,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock, this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. C. R. Brown, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 899, entitled

A bill to quiet the title to certain lands;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,

Mr. Hawley,
Healy,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Taylor,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,

Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Grier, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 209, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of education of Bay City, in the county of Bay, to issue bonds to erect a high school building;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Hawley, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 407, entitled

A bill to provide for the organization of churches of Christ;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hawley,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Sweezey, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to authorize and require the supervisor of the township of Hope, in the county of Barry, to assess, levy and authorize the collection of a tax in said township, to refund the sum of seven hundred dollars, raised and advanced by the inhabitants of said township to pay bounties to volunteers;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sweezey,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on bounties.

Mr. Chauvin asked unanimous consent to move to take from the table House bill No. 301, entitled

A bill to legalize the allowance of certain claims against the township of Springwells, for advances to procure enlistments;

Objected to by Mr. Walker.

Mr. Stevens, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 159, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the annual and adjourned annual school meetings of school district number 2, of the township of Summerfield, Monroe county, Michigan, for the year 1866;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Stevens,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SEN—I am instructed by the Senate to request the House to return to the Senate, Senate bill No. 49, entitled

A bill to provide for the protection and preservation of fish in the lakes, ponds, rivers and creeks, in the counties of Oakland, Genesee, Hillsdale and Lenawee.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. White moved to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in the amendment made by the Senate to the amendment made to the bill by the House;

Which motion prevailed.

Pending the question of concurring in the amendment,

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The Clerk was instructed to return the bill to the Senate.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 455, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the north-west corner of section thirty-six, in township twelve north, of range six east, to the township of Marathon, in Lapeer county, and appropriating certain swamp lands therefor,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Newcombe,

The bill was amended by inserting after the word "south," in line 4, of section 1, the words "and west," and by adding at the end of the section the following:

"To be known as the Harbinger's and Birch Run State road."

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Fenton, | Mr. Newcombe, |
| Alexander, | Funston, | L. D. Osborn, |
| Ball, | Gallup, | Packard, |
| Beall, | Greenfield, | Rockwood, |
| Benedict, | Grier, | L. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Healy, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Holt, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Hopkins, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Jewell, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | R. Jones, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Mead, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Miles, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Boies, | McOutcheon, | O. O. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Corey, | Parker, | White, |
| Dusseau, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Hawley, | Randall, | Woodward, |

| | | | |
|--------------|------------|----------|----|
| Howard, | Robinson, | Woodman, | |
| Huckins, | Shepherd, | Wright, | |
| Jenness, | Shetterly, | Speaker, | |
| J. H. Jones, | | | 84 |

Mr. Woodman moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Newcombe,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 169, entitled

A bill making appropriation to build additional dormitory accommodations at the State Agricultural College,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to amend section 2, of an act entitled an act to provide for the protection of game in the State of Michigan, being act No. 278, of the session laws of 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|----|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Rockwood, | |
| Ball, | Holt, | Sexton, | |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Shepherd, | |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Shetterly, | |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | Slayton, | |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | C. O. Smith, | |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, | |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, | |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, | |
| Chanvin, | McKernan, | Spence, | |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Stevens, | |
| Dussean, | Miles, | Swezey, | |
| Eck, | Murray, | Taylor, | |
| Ellows, | Newcombe, | Walker, | |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, | |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | White, | |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wilson, | |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Woodman, | |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wright, | |
| Hawley, | Robinson, | Speaker, | 60 |

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Dunlap,
Hopkins,

Mr. Lovell,
McOutcheon,
Randall,

Mr. Stannard,
Willard,
Woodward, 9

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dusseau,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reimburse and compensate the German Christian Agricultural and Benevolent Society for the construction of drains and ditches on the State swamp lands, in the county of Huron, by an appropriation of swamp lands therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,

Mr. Greenfield,
Grier,
Hawley,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,

Mr. Parker,
Rockwood,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Walker,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wright,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Chauvin,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,

Mr. Mickley,
W. H. Osborn,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Sexton,

Mr. C. C. Smith,
Stannard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

19

Title agreed to.

House bill No 298, entitled

A bill to provide for the reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the plank road between Midland and Bay City, north, to the intersection of the Saginaw and Sable State road, to be known as the Bangor and Maple Ridge State road,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Fellows, | Mr. Miles, |
| Alexander, | Fenton, | Newcombe, |
| Ball, | Funston, | L. D. Osborn, |
| Beall, | Gallup, | Packard, |
| Benedict, | Greenfield, | Pearl, |
| Boies, | Grier, | Rockwood, |
| Bonine, | Healy, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Holt, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Hopkins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Huckins, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Jewell, | Sweeney, |
| Corey, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Wilcox, |
| Dusseau, | Mead, | Wilson, |
| Eck, | | |

46

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Murray, | Mr. O. C. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | W. H. Osborn, | Spence, |
| Hawley, | Parker, | Stannard, |
| Jenness, | Randall, | Walker, |
| J. H. Jones, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Lovell, | Sexton, | Woodman, |
| McOutcheon, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| Mickley, | Slayton, | Speaker, |

24

House bill No. 326, entitled

A bill to amend section 39, of chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5783, of the compiled laws, relative to false pretenses,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Mr. Hawley,
Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,

Mr. Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweetney,
Taylor,
Walker,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. C. C. Smith, Mr. Woodward,

2

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 109; entitled

A bill to regulate the hours of labor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,

Mr. Packard,
Parker,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
C. C. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,

Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Grier,
Hawley,

McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,

Swift,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

56

NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Greenfield,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. Pearl,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,

Mr. Sweeney,
Taylor,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Woodman,

20

Title agreed to.

Mr. Ball moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect;

Which motion did not prevail.

Senate bill No. 194, entitled

A bill to provide for the completion of the Cass river and Bay City State road,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 407, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of Churches of Christ,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown.
Canniff,
Camburn,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|-----------|
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Sweezey, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombs, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Hawley, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Barber, | | |

4

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 159, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the annual and adjourned annual school meetings of school district number 2, of the township of Summerfield, Monroe county, Michigan, for the year 1866,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | G. O. Smith, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutocheon, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Sweezey, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Newcombs, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |

| | | | |
|----------|---------------|-----------|----|
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, | |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Willard, | |
| Fenton, | Parker, | Wilson, | |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodward, | |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodman, | |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Speaker, | |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | | 71 |
| | NAYS. | | |

Mr. Wright, 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stevens,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 209, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of education of Bay City, in the county of Bay, to issue bonds to erect a high school building,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Grier moved to amend the bill, by striking out the words "a vote of," in line 8, of section 1; also, by inserting in the same line, after the word "majority," the word "vote;" also, by inserting in line 9, after the words "Bay City," the words "that may be present;"

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Sweezey, |

Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Greenfield,

McKernan,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Taylor,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fenton offered the following:

Whereas, The committee on ways and means, pursuant to a resolution of this House, have made a full and fair investigation into the affairs of the Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General;

And whereas, The said late Auditor General has failed to render an account to the State Treasurer of the fees and perquisites, amounting, as nearly as the said committee can ascertain, to several thousand dollars, during the last three years of his administration, and has appropriated the same to his own personal use and benefit; therefore

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Board of State Auditors be and they are hereby authorized and instructed to require the Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General, to pay into the State treasury all moneys belonging to the State now in his possession, and not heretofore paid over to the State Treasurer, as required by law.

Laid on the table for one day, under the rules.

Mr. Dusseau offered the following:

Resolved, That the compensation of the keeper of the cloak room be \$2 50 per day;

Which was adopted.

The committee on the Asylum for the Insane, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on the Insane, to whom was referred sundry matters relative to the insane, beg leave to submit the following:

Gold low, with but little in the market at any price. Money matters active in Lansing, with plenty of takers.

Government stocks dull and a shade lower. Breadstuffs and whisky going down rapidly. Fenian bonds not yet on the market.

LATER.—The stock exchange was very weak on railroad bonds yesterday morning. Grand Trunk was the great feature, and sold down to 50. Detroit and Howell double track not yet in market, and probably never will be, as the Governor proposes to hold them for his own use. All other railroads in the same fix. Detroit water works drizzling.

STILL LATER.—Swamp land bonds at par yesterday forenoon, but later in the day the demand was not so great, and they were repudiated by the House of Lords and thrown out of market, leaving Mr. Taylor's swamp land "commissioner," to the sad fate of being drawn under by sharks.

THE VERY LATEST.—The gentleman from Grand Traverse wants to return to the bosom of his constituents, without regard to sex, where he can make maple sugar and shingles, and the sooner the rest of us do the same thing, the better it will be for the State, the members of the Legislature, the health of his Excellency the Governor, and generally for the readers of the Detroit dailies.

In consideration of these facts, your committee would recommend that we all be passed home as soon as possible, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. J. BONINE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. L. Smith offered the following:

Whereas, An able report has been submitted to this House,

by the Committee on the Insane, relating to sundry matters of vital importance to members of this House; ●

And whereas, Among other important facts set forth in said report, it has been shown that the "money market" in Lansing, is very close, and "spirits" unsettled;

And whereas, Startling revelations have been made in connection to railroad affairs, wherein it is asserted that, owing to the vast amount of railroad stocks likely to be thrown upon the market, a speedy crisis is anticipated; also, showing that the course adopted by the "*House of Lords*," swamp land will soon become extinct, unless such course be speedily changed by said body; therefore,

Resolved, That owing to the unsettled condition of affairs, as set forth in said report, this House does most respectfully remonstrate against the course adopted by the aforesaid body: *Provided*, A more conciliatory course could be substituted therefor, and thereby avert the IMPENDING CRISIS likely to befall the citizens of this State, should such a course be persisted in.

Resolved, That the main features of said report be concurred in by this House, and that said committee be discharged from further considering the subject.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The resolution was referred to the committee on the Insane Asylum.

● Mr. Woodman offered the following:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) that the Attorney General of this State, be and he is hereby instructed to take such proper and necessary steps as may be consistent with existing laws, to cause the affairs of the Climax Mutual Insurance Company to be wound up, and a receiver of the assets of said Company appointed.

Laid on the table for one day under the rules.

Mr. Corey offered the following:

Whereas, The State of Michigan, by the terms of sale of the Michigan Central Railroad, in 1846, did reserve to the State the right to re-purchase said road at any time after the first day

of January, A. D. 1867, upon certain conditions therein specified;

And whereas, Said road has earned a large sum for its stockholders, for several continuous years, over and above its operating expenses, which for the year ending May 31st, 1866, was \$1,949,250, and the net receipts for the same year, over and above improvements, losses, interest, exchange and Government tax, was \$830,072, which average profit hereafter would of itself pay for the re-purchase of the road, in accordance with the conditions of its sale, within ten years from this date, and leave said property free and unincumbered to the State at the end of ten years; therefore

Resolved, That the committee on internal improvements be and they are hereby instructed to examine into the expediency of the purchase by the State of Michigan, of the Michigan Central Railroad, as provided by sections 36 and 37, of an act of the session laws of 1846, entitled "an act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," and to report thereon, in writing, to this House.

On motion of Mr. Corey,

The resolution was referred to the committee on internal improvements.

Mr. Walker offered the following:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of State, in compiling, as heretofore directed, the highway laws, as they shall exist at the end of the present session, be requested to publish therewith the forms applicable to the highway laws of this State, prepared and published by Wm. T. Young: *Provided*, The use of the copyright thereof for this purpose, can be obtained for a reasonable sum, to be fixed by the Board of State Auditors: *And provided*, That on examination by him the same shall be found applicable to existing laws.

Laid on the table for one day under the rules.

Mr. Wilson moved to take from the table Senate bill, No. 57, entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of unliquidated swamp land contracts;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

Mr. Wilson moved to amend the bill, as follows:

1. By striking out in section 1, line 4, the words "all the," and inserting the words "so much," in lieu thereof;

2. By striking out in section 1, lines 5 and 6, after the word "appropriated," the following: "and also the interest that has or shall accrue thereon;"

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. White,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on public lands, with instructions to amend the same as proposed, and report immediately.

The committee on public lands submitted the following report:

The committee on public lands, to whom was recommitted Senate bill No. 59, entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of unliquidated swamp land contracts,

With instructions to amend the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, amended in accordance with the instructions of the House, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. O. R. Brown,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Hawley,
Healy,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
McCutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

Mr. Camburn,

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Howard moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 385, entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of the township of Park, in the county of St. Joseph, to convey real estate;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howard,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. J. H. Jones moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass House bill No. 298, entitled

A bill to provide for the reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the plank road between Midland and Bay City, north, to the intersection of the Saginaw and Sa ble State road, to be known as the Banger and Maple Ridge State road;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Jones,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Jewell moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass House bill No. 805, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 273, of the session laws of 1865, it being an act entitled an act to amend section 821, it being section 39, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Newell,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Stannard moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 212, entitled

A bill to amend section 127, of chapter 117, of the compiled laws, as amended by act No. 186, of the laws of 1863, relative to costs in justices' courts;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Stannard,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. White moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 447, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the corporate authorities of the city of Ann Arbor, in issuing bonds, or certificates of indebtedness, to aid in the repair and improvement of the observatory building, in said city, and to provide for the payment thereof;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. White,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Chauvin moved to take from the table House bill No. 301, entitled

A bill to legalize the allowance of certain claims against the township of Springwells, for advances to procure enlistments;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Chauvin, . .

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Boies moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 148, entitled

A bill to amend an act to authorize the formation of county and town agricultural societies, approved February 12, 1855;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Gallup moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 415, entitled

A bill to protect the title of the owners of floating logs and lumber;

2. House bill No. 448, entitled

A bill to authorize the re-assessment and collection of certain highway taxes in the township of Huron, Huron county;

3. House bill No. 450, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Sebewaing, in the county of Huron, to raise money by tax, for the purposes therein mentioned;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

The several bills were placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Fenton moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 411, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Cheboygan from the first judicial circuit, and attach the same to the eleventh judicial circuit;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fenton,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Alexander moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 402, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the electors of the township of Olive, Clinton county, in voting bounties to volunteers;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. L. Smith moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 454, entitled

A bill to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of roads;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. White,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Ball in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 333, entitled

A bill to repeal section 5, of chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act 95, of the session laws of 1849, and act 323, of the session laws of 1850, being section 4443, of the compiled laws, relative to executions:

2. House bill No. 348, entitled

A bill to provide for copying and binding mutilated assessment rolls and other papers;

3. House bill No. 347, entitled

A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 128, being section 4343, of the compiled laws, in regard to notes of issue;

4. House bill No. 332, entitled

A bill to provide for proceeding by attachment, in certain cases;

5. Senate bill No. 34, entitled

A bill relating to the employment of the labor of convicts at the State Prison, in certain cases;

6. House bill No. 350, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Butler, in Huron county;

7. House bill No. 371, entitled

A bill to amend act number 335, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of the improvement of the Lamont and Zeeland State Road, in Ottawa county;

8. House bill No. 368, entitled

A bill to regulate the selection of swamp lands appropriated for roads in the Upper Peninsula, and to provide for the sale thereof in certain cases;

9. House bill No. 369, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of certain drains or ditches in the counties of St. Clair and Sanilac, and making an appropriation of swamp lands to aid in the construction of the same;

10. House bill No. 391, entitled

A bill to provide for issuing patents for certain lands;

11. Senate bill No. 105, entitled

A bill to establish the northern terminus of the State road, known as the Greenville and Big Rapids State road;

12. Senate bill No. 125, entitled

A bill to authorize the electors of the second ward, in the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland, to raise by tax a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars, to pay Zephaniah B. Knight, for money by him advanced to fill the quota of said ward;

13. House bill No. 379, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a road to be known as the Tuscola county State road;

14. House bill No. 387, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 39, of session laws of 1865, entitled an act to amend section 15, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws, relative to the duties of overseers of highways, approved February 10, 1865;

15. House bill No. 390, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands;

16. House bill No. 392, entitled

A bill to authorize and legalize a re-survey of the village plat of the village of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, and to authorize the recording of said new village plat in the office of the register of deeds, of said county;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

17. House bill No. 357, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, approved March 15th, 1861;

18. House bill No. 364, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a ditch, to be known as the Koylton State ditch;

19. House bill No. 365, entitled

A bill to repeal act 216, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, and acts amendatory thereof, the same being an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands, in so much as relates to the counties of Monroe, Oakland and Wayne;

20. House bill No. 397, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 285, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175 of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases;"

21. House bill No. 380, entitled

A bill to change the name of Calvin Moon to Calvin Lockwood;

22. House bill No. 394, entitled

A bill to amend sections 991, 997, 1031, 1032, 1037, 1038 and 1039, of the compiled laws, relative to the collection and assessment of labor upon highways;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

23. House bill No. 396, entitled

A bill to amend section 454, of the compiled laws, relative to compensation of county surveyors;

24. House bill No. 386, entitled

A bill making appropriation to pay the arrearages of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, for the years 1865 and 1866;

25. House bill No. 389, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan Asylum for the Insane;

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that they be laid on the table.

WILLIAM BALL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first sixteen named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The amendments to the next six named bills were concurred in, *in gross*, and the bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The last three named bills were laid on the table.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, submitted the following report:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills:

A bill to set off and incorporate a portion of the townships

of Grand Haven and Spring Lake, in the county of Ottawa,
into a city by the name of the city of Grand Haven;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Manchester;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city
of Niles, approved February 12, 1859;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Pentwater;

Also,

A bill to revise the charter of the village of Burr Oak.

G. W. SWIFT, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House adjourned until Monday morning, at nine o'clock.

Lansing, Monday, March 18, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to
order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Spencer.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent at roll-call, without leave, Messrs. Bonine, Hawley,
Hill, McKernan, Parker and Sweezey.

Mr. Hopkins asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr.
Hill, until next Wednesday.

Mr. Fenton asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr.
McKernan, until to-morrow morning.

Mr. Corey asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr.
Parker, until this afternoon.

Mr. C. R. Brown asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr.
Bonine, for an indefinite time.

Mr. Grier asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Hawley,
for an indefinite time.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. Walker: petition of G. & R. McMillen, W. S. Pen-
field, T. A. Parker and others, for the passage of the bill

creating a board of fire commissioners for the city of Detroit;

Also, petition of H. P. Baldwin, F. Buhl & Co., Allen Sheldon and others, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of Garrison & Newbury, R. W. King, Edward Orr and others, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of Geo. W. Bissell, Geo. N. Brady, Duncan Stuart, Walter Bourke, A. E. Bissell and 40 others, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of Johnson & Wheeler, Moses W. Field, John Owen and 100 others, for the same purpose.

The several petitions were referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 221, entitled

A bill to repeal so much of act No. 354, of the session laws of 1865, entitled an act appropriating certain highway taxes for the improvement of a road from Corunna, in the county of Shiawassee, to Saginaw City, in the county of Saginaw, relating to so much of said road as is lying in the county of Shiawassee, and to provide for the appropriation of so much of said funds as have come into the hands of George W. Harris, as one of said commissioners,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The rules were suspended, and the bill placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on bounties:

The committee on bounties, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 212, entitled

A bill to authorize the electors of the township of Waterloo, in the county of Jackson, to vote a tax to pay the principal and interest of a debt contracted by certain persons to raise the means to pay bounties to volunteers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. R. BROWN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr Woodward,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred the petition of George D. Wood, Herman E. Whitney, Converse Close and 17 others, voters of union school district No. 1, of the township of Grattan, in Kent county, asking for authority to issue bonds of said district for school-house purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it be laid upon the table, as the authority sought therein has already been conferred by general law.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Randall,

The petition was laid on the table.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred the remonstrance of J. C. Rouse, A. G. Mount, and eleven others, against the enlargement of fractional union school district of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, by the dismemberment of the surrounding districts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to

the House, with the recommendation that it be laid upon the table, as the bill against the passage of which the remonstrance was made, has been reported upon unfavorably by the committee to whom it was referred.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The remonstrance was laid on the table.

By the committee on the Asylum for the Insane:

The committee on the Asylum for the Insane, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 247, entitled

A bill making appropriation for the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, and to repeal sections two and three, of act No. 132, of session laws of 1865, and amending section five, of act number 164, of the laws of 1859,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report that, in the opinion of the committee, it is proper that a bill making as large appropriations for this purpose as does this bill, should have a word of explanation from this committee.

The sums appropriated by this bill are as follows: \$71,000 for the purpose of erecting and furnishing the north wing of the Asylum, and \$12,000 for the purpose of erecting and furnishing a chapel and kitchen, and \$10,000 for the purchase of supplies for the Asylum for the year 1867, amounting in the aggregate to \$93,000. But as it is provided in section two of this bill that the balance in the treasury to the credit of the military fund, which your committee is informed is some fifty thousand dollars, shall be applied on these appropriations, it will leave only \$43,000 of the amount appropriated by this bill to be added to and incorporated in the State tax for the year 1867; and while it is the opinion of the committee that in the present disturbed and uncertain condition of financial affairs, and with the present and prospective scarcity of money, and with the high rates of taxation which must unavoidably prevail until the financial burdens necessarily assumed by our peo-

ple for the suppression of the late rebellion are liquidated and discharged, that under this state of affairs it is of the utmost importance that all appropriations that will increase the burdens of the tax-payer should be restricted within the limits of public necessity and judicious economy; still the committee are of the opinion that this appropriation is one that is required by considerations of necessity and humanity, and that it cannot be withheld without inflicting severe injury and hardship upon a most unfortunate class of our fellow citizens. It is a well known fact that the present accommodations for insane patients at the Asylum are entirely inadequate to meet the applications for this class of sufferers from among our own citizens. Instances have come to the knowledge of the committee of the most distressing character, where those who had become bereft of reason and were raving maniacs had been brought to the Asylum under the confident expectation of securing admission for them, but as the Asylum was already full to overflowing were necessarily refused, and were obliged to be taken back to their homes, to be a constant source of care and anxiety to their friends, and of disquiet and even terror to the communities where they lived. In the opinion of the committee there is no class of unfortunates that have stronger claims upon public pity and charity than those in whom has become extinguished that light of reason which alone makes man "the prince of creatures," and without which he is left devoid of sense or wisdom to guide or restrain his course, like a ship in the midst of the tempest-tost ocean without helm or pilot. Your committee, therefore, deem it important that the Asylum should be completed as early as possible, so as to afford admission, safety and sanitary treatment for all within our own borders who may, under the dispensations of Providence, become thus afflicted, and have reason to believe that when this is done the institution will become nearly, and perhaps entirely, self-supporting, as a class of patients can then be admitted whose means are ample to pay a liberal price for their support and treatment, whereas now only those can be admitted who

are in indigent or very limited circumstances, and for whom there is no means of support at private asylums or at institutions in other States.

Your committee have therefore instructed me to report the bill back to the House, and recommend its passage, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 78, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 70, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2877, of chapter 94, of the compiled laws, entitled of the administration and distribution of the estates of deceased persons,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on local taxation:

The committee on local taxation, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize the township of Fulton, in the county of Gratiot, to issue certain bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, to certain persons who enlisted in the service of the United States, and were credited to said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

HENRY H. HOLT, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Gallup, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table, House joint resolution No. 24, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue patents of certain lands to Ira Y. Burnham, of Georgetown, in Ottawa county, Michigan;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on public lands.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, March 16, 1887. }

To the House of Representatives :

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to incorporate the village of Manchester;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the village of Niles," approved Feb. 12, 1859;

Also,

An act to set off and incorporate a portion of the townships of Grand Haven and Spring Lake, in the county of Ottawa into a city by the name of the city of Grand Haven;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Pentwater;

Also,

An act to revise the charter of the village of Burr Oak.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SEN—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the House concurring,) That the Secretary of State be directed to transmit to each county and township clerk, in this State, a copy of the act passed by the present Legislature, relative to county superintendents of schools;

Which has passed the Senate, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The House concurred in the adoption of the resolution.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SEN—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 230, entitled

A bill for the acceptance of the donation of public lands made by act of Congress, approved July 3, 1866, to the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction of a harbor and ship canal, at Portage Lake, Keweenaw Point, Lake Superior;

2. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for manufacturing cheese and other products from milk;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators

elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on manufactures.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 232, entitled

A bill to provide for the issuing of patents for certain lands;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 310, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of East Saginaw, approved Feb. 15, 1859, as amended by acts No. 56, of session laws of 1861, approved Feb. 20, 1861, and No. 79, of session laws of 1865, approved March 1, 1865;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by inserting in line 12, section 5, title 4, after the word "controller," the words "and the city attorney of said city;" also, in the 14th line, by striking out the word "he," and inserting the words "said controller;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Randall, |
| Ball | Holt, | Schars, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | Walker, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Warner, |
| Corey, | Mead, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Murray, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Newell, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

Mr. Slayton,

1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 88, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5690 and 5691, of the compiled laws, being sections 2 and 3, of an act relative to the costs of proceedings in criminal cases, approved March 18, 1849;

In the passage of which the Senate has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. White,

The bill was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Berrien Springs, Berrien county, Michigan,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, as follows:

1. By inserting in line 47, of section 7, after the word "taxes," the words "not exceeding one per cent upon the assessed valuation thereof, exclusive of school and highway taxes;"

2. By striking out, in line 8, of section 13, the words, "four months," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "seven weeks;"

3. By striking out, in line 29, of section 28, the word, "shall," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "may;"

4. By striking out, in line 14, of section 14, the word "conclusive," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "*prima facie*;" also, by inserting after the word "sale," the words, "and all things pertaining thereto;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Glavin moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Grier, | Schara, |
| Beall, | Healy, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jenness, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | White, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Wilcox, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Willard, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Glavin, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Kedzie,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 16, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 148, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Harrison and Clinton, in the county of Macomb, to raise a tax for the purpose in said bill mentioned;

2. House bill No. 240, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Ada, in Kent county, to borrow money for bridge purposes;

3. House bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships or incorporated villages, in the counties of Gratiot and Clinton, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the constructinn of a plank road from St. Louis to the village of St. Johns, in Clinton county;

4. House bill No. 329, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 8, 9, 10 and 12, of an act entitled an act to incorporate a board of education for the city of East Saginaw, approved February 15, 1859, and to repeal sections 1 and 2, of act No. 5, of the session laws of 1862, approved January 14, 1862;

5. House bill No. 398, entitled

A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers, approved Feb. 13, 1855;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 385, entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees of the first Methodist Episcopal church, of the township of Park, in the county of St. Joseph, to convey real estate,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | O. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| Oamburn, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Lovell, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | McOutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 212, entitled

A bill to amend section 127, of chapter 117, of the compiled laws, as amended by act No. 186, of the laws of 1863, relative to costs in justices' courts,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Benedict,
Brownell,
O. R. Brown,
Dussean,
Emery,
Funston,
Gallup,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Mead,
Miles,
Murray,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
Stannard,
Tompkins,
Walker,
White,

19

NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Glavin,
Grier,
Howard,

Mr. Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
McOutchson,
Mickley,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

47

House bill No. 454, entitled

A bill to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of roads,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Camburn,
Dunlap,
Dussean,

Mr. Grier,
Healy,
Holt,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,

Mr. Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Warner,

Eck,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,

Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 57

NAYS.

Mr. W. G. Brown,
McOutcheon,
Pearl,

Mr. Sexton,
C. O. Smith,

Mr. P. S. Spaulding,
Woodward, 7

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 447, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the corporate authorities of the city of Ann Arbor, in issuing bonds or certificates of indebtedness, to aid in the repair and improvement of the Observatory building, in said city, and to provide for the payment thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Obauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,

Mr. Grier,
Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Levell,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Mr. Sohars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

NAYS.

Mr. Wilson,

Mr. Wright,

2

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 350, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Butler, in Huron county,
Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 347, entitled

A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 128, being section 4848,
of the compiled laws, in regard to notes of issue,Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the mem-
bers elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,

Mr. Glavin,

Mr. Schars,

Alexander,

Greenfield,

Sexton,

Ball,

Grier,

Shepherd;

Barber,

Healy,

Shetterly,

Beall,

Holt,

Slayton,

Benedict,

Hopkins,

O. O. Smith,

Boies,

Howard,

L. Smith,

Brownell,

Huckins,

P. S. Spaulding.

A. S. Brown,

Jenness,

Stannard,

C. R. Brown,

Jewell,

Stevens,

W. G. Brown,

R. Jones,

Swift,

Camburn,

McOutcheon,

Taylor,

Chauvin,

Mead,

Tompkins

Corey,

Mickley,

Walker,

Dunlap,

Miles,

Warner,

Dusseau,

Murray,

White,

Eck,

Newell,

Willard,

Emerson,

L. D. Osborn,

Wilson,

Emery,

Pearl,

Woodward,

Fellows,

Randall,

Woodman,

Funston,

Robinson,

Wright,

Gallup,

Rockwood,

Speaker,

66

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill
was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 348, entitled

A bill to provide for copying and binding mutilated assessment rolls and other papers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Greenfield, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Grier, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Holt, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | O. O. Smith, |
| Boies, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | White, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |

66

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 411, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Cheboygan from the first judicial circuit, and to attach the same to the eleventh judicial circuit,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Greenfield, | Shepherd, |

Ball,
 Barber
 Beall,
 Benedict,
 Boies,
 Brownell,
 A. S. Brown,
 C. R. Brown,
 W. G. Brown,
 Camburn,
 Chauvin,
 Corey,
 Dunlap,
 Dusseau,
 Eek,
 Emerson,
 Emery,
 Fellows,
 Funston,
 Gallup,

Grier,
 Healy,
 Holt,
 Hopkins,
 Howard,
 Huckins,
 Jenness,
 Jewell,
 R. Jones,
 McCutcheon,
 Mead,
 Mickley,
 Miles,
 Murray,
 Newell,
 Pearl,
 Randall,
 Robinson,
 Rockwood,
 Schars,

Shetterly,
 Slayton,
 C. O. Smith,
 L. Smith,
 P. S. Spaulding,
 Stannard,
 Stevens,
 Swift,
 Taylor,
 Tompkins,
 Walker,
 Warner,
 White,
 Willard,
 Wilson,
 Woodward,
 Woodman,
 Wright,
 Speaker,

65

NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 415, entitled

A bill to protect the title of the owners of floating logs and lumber,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Grier moved to strike out the word "Huron," in line 2, section 6;

Which motion was withdrawn.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
 Alexander,
 Ball,
 Barber,
 Beall,
 Benedict,

Mr. Grier,
 Healy,
 Holt,
 Hopkins,
 Howard,
 Huckins,

Mr. Rockwood,
 Schars,
 Sexton,
 Shepherd,
 Shetterly,
 Slayton,

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| Boies, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Miles, | White, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Robinson, | |
| | NAYS. | 68 |
| | | 0 |

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 448, entitled

A bill to authorize the re-assessment and collection of certain highway taxes in the township of Huron, Huron county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Greenfield, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Grier, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Holt, | O. U. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | White, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Willard, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Wilson, |
| Emerson, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Woodman, |

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| Fellows, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Funston, | Rockwood, | Speaker, | |
| Gallup, | Schars, | | 65 |
| | NAYS. | | 0 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 450, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Sebewaing, in the county of Huron, to raise money by tax for the purposes therein mentioned,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | | |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|----|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Schars, | |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Sexton, | |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shepherd, | |
| Barber, | Holt, | Shetterly, | |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Slayton, | |
| Benedict, | Howard, | O. O. Smith, | |
| Boies, | Huckins, | L. Smith, | |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, | |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Stannard, | |
| C. E. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, | |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Swift, | |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Taylor, | |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Tompkins, | |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Walker, | |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Warner, | |
| Eck, | Newell, | White, | |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, | |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wilson, | |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | Woodward, | |
| Funston, | Randall, | Woodman, | |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Speaker, | 66 |

NAYS.

Mr. W. G. Brown, 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 148, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "an act to authorize the formation of county and town agricultural societies," approved February 12, 1855,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Holt, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | O. O. Smith, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Stannard, |
| O. B. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Glavin, | | |

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 84, entitled

A bill relating to the employment of the labor of convicts at the State Prison, in certain cases,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Dussean, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Emerson, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------|---------------|
| Mr. Holt, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Newcombe, |
| Jenness, | Lovell, | Stannard, |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Jones,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 891, entitled

A bill to provide for issuing patents for certain lands,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Holt, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Slayton, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Boies, | Huckins, | C. C. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Rockwood, | Speaker, • 66 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Mr. Gallup, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Stannard, |
| Jenness, | Newcombe, | White, 6 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 402, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the electors of the township of Olive, Clinton county, in voting bounties to volunteers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Gallup, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Glavin, | Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Greenfield, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Grier, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Kedzie, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Walker, |

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|------------|
| Crossman, | Mead, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Willard, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Wilson, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Wright, 60 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Newcombe, | Mr. Spence, |
| Holt, | Newell, | Stannard, |
| Jenness, | Randall, | White, |
| Lovell, | Schars, | Speaker 12 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 125, entitled

A bill to authorize the electors of the second ward, in the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland, to raise by tax a sum not exceeding \$600, to pay Zephaniah B. Knight, for money by him advanced to fill the quota of said ward,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Gallup, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Glavin, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Greenfield, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Grier, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Healey, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Spence, |
| Brownell, | Howard, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Ohauvin, | McOutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Dusseau, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Eck, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Emerson, | Robinson, | Woodman, |

Fellows,
Funston,

Rockwood,
Schara,

Wright,
Speaker, 60

NAYS.

Mr. Camburn,
Jenness,
Kedzie,
Lovell,

Mr. Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,

Mr. Pearl,
White,
Willard, 11

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 382, entitled

A bill to provide for proceeding by attachment, in certain cases,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Holt moved to amend the bill by adding at the end of section 2, the following: "and being chapter 140, of the compiled laws;"

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Newcombe moved to recommit the bill to the committee on the judiciary, with instructions to amend the same so as to provide that any creditor may, at any time, whether his debt be due or not, enter into possession of all his debtor's effects or estate, and to make therefrom the amount of his demand, with all costs, and all he shall himself consider reasonable, for his own services and trouble;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Chanvin,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,

Corey,
Crossman,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Kedzie,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Miles,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Swift,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Barber,
Camburn,
Dunlap,
Emerson,

Mr. Funston,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,

Mr. Packard,
Stevens,
Taylor,
Wright,

13

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 333, entitled

A bill to repeal section 5, of chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act 95, of the session laws of 1849, and act 323, of the session laws of 1850, being section 4443, of the compiled laws, relative to executions,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,

Mr. Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,
R. Jones,
Mead,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Randall,
Rockwood,

Mr. Schars,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Warner,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Funston, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | White, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Woodman, |
| Emerson, | | |

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 365, entitled

A bill to repeal act 216, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, and acts amendatory thereof, the same being an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands, in so much as relates to the counties of Monroe, Oakland and Wayne,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Swift moved to amend the bill by inserting the words "and the township of Nankin, in Wayne county," after the word "Ionia," in line 8, of section 1;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swift moved to amend the bill by striking out all of section 1, after the word "enact," to and including the word "repealed," and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

"That act No. 216, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, and acts amendatory thereof, shall not apply hereafter to the counties of Oakland and Ionia, and the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne;"

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | Holt, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Stannard, |
| C. B. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Swift, |

Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,

Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 60

NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Barber,
Chauvin,
Corey,

Mr. Greenfield,
Lovell,
Mead,
Newell,

Mr. W. H. Osborn,
Rockwood,
Sexton,
White, 12

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 868, entitled

A bill to regulate the selection of swamp lands appropriated for roads in the Upper Peninsula, and to provide for the sale thereof in certain cases,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,

Mr. Greenfield,
Healy,
Holt,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Speaker, 61

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| Eok, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodward, |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Walker, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Dussseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | Shetterly, | |

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Mr. Mead moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Newcombe moved to suspend the order of business, and pass over the order of third reading of bills;

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 357, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, approved March 15, 1861,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Spence, |
| C. B. Brown, | Jewell, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Kedzie, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Dussseau, | Miles, | Walker, |

ditches in the counties of St. Clair and Sanilac, and making an appropriation of swamp lands to aid in the construction of the same,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Greenfield, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Healy, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Tompkins, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Upton, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Wilcox, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Rockwood, | Speaker, . |
| Gallup, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Robinson, | Mr. Wright, |
| Randall, | Slayton, | |

5

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 297, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 235, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175 of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Schars, |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Murray, | Mr. Swift, |
| A. S. Brown, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Jewell, | | |

18

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 364, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a ditch, to be known as the Koylton State ditch,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Howard, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | McCutocheon, | Tompkins, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Upton, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Croesman, | Murray, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Glavin, | Shepherd, | |

65

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Randall, | Mr. Robinson, |
| J. H. Jones, | | |

4

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 369, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of certain drains or

ditches in the counties of St. Clair and Sanilac, and making an appropriation of swamp lands to aid in the construction of the same,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Greenfield, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Healy, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Tompkins, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Upton, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Wilcox, |
| Dussseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Rockwood, | Speaker, . |
| Gallup, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Robinson, | Mr. Wright, |
| Randall, | Slayton, | |

5

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 397, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 285, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175 of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Schars, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| Mr. Beall, | Mr. McOutcheon, | Mr. Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Camburn, | Rockwood, | Wilson, |
| Jenness, | Sexton, | Woodman, |
| R. Jones, | C. C. Smith, | Wright, |
| Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, | Speaker, |

18

Title agreed to.

Mr. Miles moved that the bill be ordered to take effect in forty days;

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 379, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a road to be known as the Tuscola county State road,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 387, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 39, of session laws of 1865, entitled an act to amend section 15, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws relative to the duties of overseers of highways, approved February 10, 1865,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on roads and bridges.

House bill No. 394, entitled

A bill to amend sections 991, 997, 1031, 1032, 1037, 1038 and 1039, of the compiled laws, relative to the collection and assessment of labor upon highways,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on roads and bridges.

House bill No. 390, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jenneas, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | White, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. Stannard, | Mr. Woodward, |
| Camburn, | Swift, | Wright, |

Fenton,
Murray,

Wilson,

Speaker,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 392, entitled

A bill to authorize and legalize a re-survey of the village plat of the village of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, and to authorize the recording of said new village plat in the office of the register of deeds of said county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. O. O. Smith, |
| Ball, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Pearl, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Robinson, | White, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Wilson, |
| Holt, | Sexton, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Shepherd, | Woodman, |
| Howard, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| Huckins, | Slayton, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

1

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 221, entitled

A bill to repeal so much of act No. 354, of the session laws of 1865, entitled an act appropriating certain highway taxes for the improvement of a road from Corunna, in the county of Shiawassee, to Saginaw City, in the county of Saginaw, relating to so much of said road as is lying in the county of

Shiawassee, and to provide for the appropriation of so much of said funds as have come into the hands of George W. Harris, as one of said commissioners,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | C. O. Smith, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor |
| Dunlap, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | Randall, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | White, |
| Greenfield, | Rockwood, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Wilson, |
| Holt, | Sexton, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Shepherd, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Shetterly, | Speaker, 60 |

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 212, entitled

A bill to authorize the electors of the township of Waterloo, in the county of Jackson, to vote a tax to pay the principal and interest of a debt contracted by certain persons to raise the means to pay bounties to volunteers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | C. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |

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| Beall, | Jenness, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| Brownell, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Crossman, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Dussean, | Parkard, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Perl, | White, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Camburn, Mr. Newcombe, Mr. Wright, 3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 105, entitled

A bill to establish the northern terminus of the State road, known as the Greenville and Big Rapids State road,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | O. O. Smith, |
| Barbet, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| Brownell, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Crossman, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |

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| Dunlap, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Pearl, | White, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Healey, | Shepherd, | 65 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Camburn, | Mr. Newcombe, | Mr. Wright, | 3 |
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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 380, entitled

A bill to change the name of Calvin Moon to Calvin Lockwood,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | C. C. Smith, |
| Beall, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Sexton, | 74 |

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to cause an act entitled "an act to attach certain un-organized townships to the township of Helena, Antrim county," to take immediate effect.

The title as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Sexton,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Walker moved, to take from the table House bill No. 166, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 100, of the session laws of 1848, incorporating the Detroit and Saline plank road company, by adding a new section;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

The committee on manufactures, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on manufactures, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations, for manufacturing cheese, and other products from milk,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the

House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WILLIAM WARNER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Stannard moved to reconsider the vote upon the resolution adopted on Saturday last, by which the compensation of the keeper of the cloak room, was increased from \$2 00 to \$2 50 per day;

Which motion was withdrawn.

Mr. White offered the following:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Board of Control of the Reform School be and they are hereby requested to furnish the school with papers suitable for the boys, so that each one may have a paper each week.

Laid on the table for one day under the rules.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS,

Being the consideration of the following resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of State, in compiling, as heretofore directed, the highway laws, as they shall exist at the end of the present session, be requested to publish therewith the forms applicable to the highway laws of this State, prepared and published by Wm. T. Young: *Provided*, The use of the copyright thereof for this purpose, can be obtained for a reasonable sum, to be fixed by the Board of State Auditors: *And provided*, That on examination by him the same shall be found applicable to existing laws.

The resolution was adopted.

Also, the following:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) that the Attorney General of this State, be and he is hereby instructed to take such proper and necessary steps as may be consistent with existing laws, to cause the affairs of the Climax Mutual Insurance Company

to be wound up, and a receiver of the assets of said Company appointed.

The resolution was adopted.

Also, the following:

Whereas, The committee on ways and means, pursuant to a resolution of this House, have made a full and fair investigation into the affairs of the Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General;

And whereas, The said late Auditor General has failed to render an account to the State Treasurer of the fees and perquisites, amounting, as nearly as the said committee can ascertain, to several thousand dollars, during the last three years of his administration, and has appropriated the same to his own personal use and benefit; therefore

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Board of State Auditors be and they are hereby authorized and instructed to require the Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General, to pay into the State treasury all moneys belonging to the State now in his possession, and not heretofore paid over to the State Treasurer, as required by law.

Mr. C. R. Brown offered the following as a substitute therefor:

Whereas, The committee on ways and means, pursuant to a resolution of this House, have investigated the affairs of the Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General, and have reported to this House that the said late Auditor General has failed to render an account to the State of certain moneys received by him for "fees and charges received for abstracts and searches made during the last three years of his administration;"

And whereas, Said report shows that said abstracts and searches were made, in part, by persons in the employ and under the pay of the State;

And whereas, Said report further shows that certain predecessors of the said Auditor General, to wit, previous to the year 1855, received and appropriated to their own use, fees as aforesaid;

And whereas, There is no law requiring the Auditor General

to make the searches and furnish the abstracts above referred to; therefore,

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That in our judgment a law should be enacted making it the official duty of the Auditor General, and other State officers, on application, to make examination of the records of their office, and to furnish certified abstracts thereof, on payment to them for the use of the State of reasonable fees therefor.

Resolved, That the said Hon. Emil Anneke, late Auditor General, and his said predecessors prior to the year 1855, are in duty bound to pay into the State treasury all such sums of money as may have been paid by the State to the clerks employed in the offices of the said Hon. Emil Anneke and his said predecessors, for services rendered by said clerks, not provided by law, and for which the said several Auditors have received extra compensation.

Mr. Corey demanded the yeas and nays:

The demand was seconded, and the substitute was adopted, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Boies, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Robinson, | White, |
| Funston, | Rockwood, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Willard, |
| Holt, | Shepherd, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Slayton, | Woodward, |
| Huckins, | R. B. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Jenness, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Fenton, | Mr. Newell, |
| Ball, | Greenfield, | Pearl, |
| Barber, | Grier, | Sexton, |

Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dussau,

Healy,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
McCutcheon,
Murray,

Shetterly,
C. C. Smith,
Stevens,
Wilson,
Wright,

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• MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives :

SIR—I am instructed to request the House to return to the Senate, Senate bill No. 232, entitled

A bill to provide for issuing patents for certain lands.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The committee on public lands by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 232, entitled

A bill to provide for issuing patents for certain lands,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The Clerk was instructed to return the bill to the Senate.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred House joint resolution No. 24, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue patents of certain lands to Ira Y. Burnham, of Georgetown, in Ottawa county, Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being upon the passage of the joint resolution,

The joint resolution was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Sohars, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | C. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, * | R. Jones, | Spance, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Dussean | Miles, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Rockwood, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Wilson,

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

The title was amended by striking out the word "patents," in the first line; and inserting in lieu thereof, the follow-

ing words: "A certificate of purchase;" and in the second line, striking out all after the words "lands to," and inserting in lieu thereof, the following words: "George S. Freer, of Lima, Michigan."

The title, as amended, and the preamble, were then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the joint resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Walker in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 334, entitled

A bill to provide for the re-assessment and collection of certain taxes in the township of Penn, in the county of Cass;

2. House bill No. 471, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Houghton;

3. House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill relating to certain bonds issued by the trustees of school district No. 1, of the township of Portage, in the county of Houghton;

4. House bill No. 381, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein;

5. Senate bill No. 113, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Grand Rapids;

6. Senate bill No. 109, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, of chapter 187, being

sections 5891, 5982, 5983 and 5984, of the compiled laws, relative to lotteries;

7. Senate bill No. 118, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Jackson to purchase certain volumes of abstracts, and to provide for compensation for the use of the same;

8. House bill No. 401, entitled

A bill to define the capacity of dry barrels;

9. House bill No. 403, entitled

A bill to authorize Edmund Burroughs to build a dam across Flat river, in the township of Vergennes, in Kent county;

10. House bill No. 404, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 126, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 154, of the compiled laws, by adding a new section thereto, relating to miners' liens, upon mining property;

11. House bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize proceedings by garnishment, in the circuit courts, and in the district court of the Upper Peninsula, approved March 16, 1861;

12. House bill No. 410, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Emmet from the first judicial circuit, and attach the same to the thirteenth judicial circuit;

13. House bill No. 422, entitled

A bill to promote the collection of debts, by creditors of railroad companies;

14. House bill No. 416, entitled

A bill to amend all acts of compiled laws, not heretofore amended;

15. House bill No. 414, entitled

A bill to amend section 58, of chapter 103, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 128, of the compiled laws;

16. House bill No. 420, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a further appropriation for the Sand Beach and Bay City State road;

17. House bill No. 413, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp land, by means of a State road and ditch in Huron county;

18. House bill No. 428, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Sheridan, in the county of Calhoun, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for said township by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

19. House bill No. 419, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from the village of Munising, in town 47 north, of range 18 west, in Schoolcraft county, to the village of Escanaba, in town 29 north, of range 23 west, in Delta county;

20. House bill No. 426, entitled

A bill to amend section 161, of the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money;

21. House bill No. 427, entitled

A bill to amend section 8, of act No. 281, of the session laws of 1863, relative to proceedings by garnishment;

22. House bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the commissioners of highways of the townships of Brookway and Emmet, in St. Clair county, as to building a bridge across Mill-Creek, between said townships;

23. House bill No. 444, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of union school district No. 1, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena;

24. House bill No. 439, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 113, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, it being an act to organize the Wayne County Farm for the benefit and support of the poor, into a school district;

25. House bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to amend section 1987, being section 43, of chapter 67 of the compiled laws, it being an act to provide for the in-

corporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855, so as to require all persons and companies owning or occupying railroads to fence the same;

26. House bill No. 440, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize any of the towns or municipalities in the counties of Oakland, Livingston, Wayne, Monroe and Washtenaw, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of Holly, in the county of Oakland, to the city of Monroe, in the county of Monroe, approved March 18, 1865;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

27. House bill No. 409, entitled

A bill providing for the appointment of commissioners of State roads, in the county of Ontonagon, by the Governor;

28. House bill No. 424, entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils, manufactured from petroleum or coal oil;

29. House bill No. 437, entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement of certain rapids in Pigeon river, in the county of Huron;

30. House bill No. 430, entitled

A bill to amend section 26, of chapter 88, and section 16, of chapter 175, of the compiled laws, relative to registers of deeds;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

31. House bill No. 370, entitled

A bill to organize the 5th ward in the city of Lansing;

32. House bill No. 400, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 281, of the session laws of 1865;

33. House bill No. 405, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Canton, in Wayne county, to raise money by tax, to refund advances made to procure substitutes;

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and have directed their chairman to report that fact to the House, asking concurrence therein.

E. O. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first twenty six named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

The amendments made to the twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth and thirtieth named bills, were concurred in, *in gross*, and the bills were placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Miles moved that the House concur in the amendment made to the twenty-ninth named bill;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Walker moved that the House concur in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the thirty-first named bill;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Ball moved that the House concur in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the thirty-second named bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The enacting clause was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Kedsie,

The House concurred in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the last named bill.

On motion of Mr. Randall,

The enacting clause was laid on the table.

Mr. Holt moved that the House adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Boies in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 486, entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 15, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 15, 1861;

2. House bill No. 484, entitled

A bill to amend section 13, of an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 16, 1861, approved March 20, 1863;

3. House bill No. 443, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a road

in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain taxes therefor;

4. House bill No. 429, entitled-

A bill to incorporate the village of Paw Paw;

5. House bill No. 445, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Menominee, in the county of Menominee, to establish and maintain a free ferry across the Menominee river;

6. House bill No. 446, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties;

7. House bill 452, entitled

A bill to authorize corporations of other States to engage in mining and manufacturing within this State;

8. House bill No. 456, entitled

A bill making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School, for the years 1867 and 1868;

9. House bill No. 464, entitled

A bill to organize young men's Christian associations;

10. House bill No. 458, entitled

A bill to enable townships, cities and counties to redeem their pledges in paying bounties to volunteers to aid in the suppression of the rebellion;

11. House bill No. 465, entitled

A bill to make the expense of building and repairing highway bridges across the Shiawassee, Lookingglass and Maple rivers, in the county of Shiawassee, a charge upon the taxable property of said county;

12. House bill No. 462, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of highways in Gratiot county;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

13. House bill No. 162, entitled

A bill for the prevention and punishment of trespasses on lands granted by the United States to the State of Michigan, for railroad purposes;

14. House bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to authorize the county of St. Joseph to build, construct and repair all bridges across the St. Joseph river, in the county of St. Joseph, at the expense of the county at large;

15. House bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 250, of the session laws of 1861, and to add a new section thereto, relative to juvenile offenders;

16. House bill No. 459, entitled

A bill to prohibit certain immoral advertisements;

17. House bill No. 463, entitled

A bill to provide for re-assessing, assessing and collecting taxes, to pay for certain improvements upon Michigan Avenue and Cedar street, in the city of Lansing, and also to pay the interest which has accrued or may accrue on the sums expended in making such improvements;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 30, entitled

Joint resolution to provide for the representation of the industries and capabilities of the State of Michigan at the Paris Exposition;

Have made no amendment thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first twelve named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The amendments made to the next five named bills were concurred in, *in gross*, and the several bills were placed on the order of third reading.

The joint resolution was also placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. E. Spalding,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

Lansing, Tuesday, March 19, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Weed.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent at roll call, without leave, Mr. McKernan.

Mr. Crossman asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, until next Thursday.

Mr. R. B. Smith asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, until to-morrow.

Mr. Corey asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Parker, on account of sickness.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. Kedzie: memorial of Jno. A. Kerr, Whitney Jones, Wm. H. Chapman and 64 others, citizens and tax-payers of Lansing, in regard to the grade on Michigan avenue and Cedar street.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The memorial was laid on the table.

By Mr. Woodward: remonstrance of Levi B. Danforth, Charles Carmer and 150 others, residents of Jackson county, against the passage of any law to prohibit spearing fish in said county.

On motion of Woodward,

The remonstrance was laid on the table.

By Mr. Walker: petition of Brooks and Adams, T. S. Moore, Mason, Doty & Co., F. Hubbard and 81 others, asking for the passage of a law creating a board of fire commissioners for the city of Detroit;

Also, petition of Trowbridge, Wilcox & Co., E. G. Merrick & Son, George B. Pease & Son, P. E. Demill and 40 others, for the same purpose;

Also, petition of Alex. Lewis, L. M. Mason, A. H. Dey, Geo. W. Lee, B. Wright, E. N. Wilcox and 62 others, for the same purpose.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The several petitions were laid on the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on the judiciary,

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred

A bill relating to mechanics lien upon certain property, and to amend certain sections of chapter 154, of the compiled laws,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Spence,

The House concurred, in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 58, entitled

A bill to authorize the cities, townships and incorporated villages of the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction and maintenance of wagon, gravel, cobble stone, pounded stone, or plank roads,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 217, entitled

A bill to enlarge the boundaries of union school district, of the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 254, entitled

A bill making appropriation to the State Normal school,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 230, entitled

A bill for the acceptance of the donation of public lands made by act of Congress, approved July 3, 1866, to the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction of a harbor and ship canal at Portage Lake, Keweenaw Point, Lake Superior,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 214, entitled

A bill to authorize the Governor of the State of Michigan to seize and procure the condemnation of lands to be used by the United States, for light-house purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bills were referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize the township board of the township of

Fulton, in Gratiot county, to issue certain bonds or other evidence of indebtedness to volunteers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Jones,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on internal improvements:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize the county of Jackson, to pledge its credit in the construction of a railroad, from some point on or near the St. Clair river, to the Indiana State line, on the route deemed most eligible, to Chicago, in the State of Illinois,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on bounties:

The committee on bounties, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 151, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Gun Plains, in the county

sections 5891, 5982, 5983 and 5984, of the compiled laws, relative to lotteries;

7. Senate bill No. 118, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Jackson to purchase certain volumes of abstracts, and to provide for compensation for the use of the same;

8. House bill No. 401, entitled

A bill to define the capacity of dry barrels;

9. House bill No. 403, entitled

A bill to authorize Edmund Burroughs to build a dam across Flat river, in the township of Vergennes, in Kent county;

10. House bill No. 404, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 126, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 154, of the compiled laws, by adding a new section thereto, relating to miners' liens, upon mining property;

11. House bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize proceedings by garnishment, in the circuit courts, and in the district court of the Upper Peninsula, approved March 16, 1861;

12. House bill No. 410, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Emmet from the first judicial circuit, and attach the same to the thirteenth judicial circuit;

13. House bill No. 423, entitled

A bill to promote the collection of debts, by creditors of railroad companies;

14. House bill No. 416, entitled

A bill to amend all acts of compiled laws, not heretofore amended;

15. House bill No. 414, entitled

A bill to amend section 58, of chapter 103, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 128, of the compiled laws;

16. House bill No. 420, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a further appropriation for the Sand Beach and Bay City State road;

17. House bill No. 413, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp land, by means of a State road and ditch in Huron county;

18. House bill No. 428, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Sheridan, in the county of Calhoun, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for said township by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

19. House bill No. 419, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from the village of Munising, in town 47 north, of range 18 west, in Schoolcraft county, to the village of Escanaba, in town 39 north, of range 23 west, in Delta county;

20. House bill No. 426, entitled

A bill to amend section 161, of the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money;

21. House bill No. 427, entitled

A bill to amend section 8, of act No. 281, of the session laws of 1863, relative to proceedings by garnishment;

22. House bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the commissioners of highways of the townships of Brockway and Emmet, in St. Clair county, as to building a bridge across Mill Creek, between said townships;

23. House bill No. 444, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of union school district No. 1, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena;

24. House bill No. 439, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 113, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, it being an act to organize the Wayne County Farm for the benefit and support of the poor, into a school district;

25. House bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to amend section 1987, being section 43, of chapter 67 of the compiled laws, it being an act to provide for the in-

corporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855, so as to require all persons and companies owning or occupying railroads to fence the same;

26. House bill No. 440, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize any of the towns or municipalities in the counties of Oakland, Livingston, Wayne, Monroe and Washtenaw, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of Holly, in the county of Oakland, to the city of Monroe, in the county of Monroe, approved March 18, 1865;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

27. House bill No. 409, entitled

A bill providing for the appointment of commissioners of State roads, in the county of Ontonagon, by the Governor;

28. House bill No. 424, entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils, manufactured from petroleum or coal oil;

29. House bill No. 437, entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement of certain rapids in Pigeon river, in the county of Huron;

30. House bill No. 430, entitled

A bill to amend section 26, of chapter 88, and section 16, of chapter 175, of the compiled laws, relative to registers of deeds;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

31. House bill No. 370, entitled

A bill to organize the 5th ward in the city of Lansing;

32. House bill No. 400, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 281, of the session laws of 1865;

33. House bill No. 405, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Canton, in Wayne county, to raise money by tax, to refund advances made to procure substitutes;

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and have directed their chairman to report that fact to the House, asking concurrence therein.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first twenty six named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

The amendments made to the twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth and thirtieth named bills, were concurred in, *in gross*, and the bills were placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Miles moved that the House concur in the amendment made to the twenty-ninth named bill;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Walker moved that the House concur in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the thirty-first named bill;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Ball moved that the House concur in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the thirty-second named bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The enacting clause was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The House concurred in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the last named bill.

On motion of Mr. Randall,

The enacting clause was laid on the table.

Mr. Holt moved that the House adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

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EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Boies in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 436, entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 15, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 15, 1861;

2. House bill No. 434, entitled

A bill to amend section 13, of an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 16, 1861, approved March 20, 1863;

3. House bill No. 443, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a road

in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain taxes therefor;

4. House bill No. 429, entitled-

A bill to incorporate the village of Paw Paw;

5. House bill No. 445, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Menominee, in the county of Menominee, to establish and maintain a free ferry across the Menominee river;

6. House bill No. 446, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties;

7. House bill 452, entitled

A bill to authorize corporations of other States to engage in mining and manufacturing within this State;

8. House bill No. 456, entitled

A bill making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School, for the years 1867 and 1868;

9. House bill No. 464, entitled

A bill to organize young men's Christian associations;

10. House bill No. 458, entitled

A bill to enable townships, cities and counties to redeem their pledges in paying bounties to volunteers to aid in the suppression of the rebellion;

11. House bill No. 465, entitled

A bill to make the expense of building and repairing highway bridges across the Shiawassee, Lookingglass and Maple rivers, in the county of Shiawassee, a charge upon the taxable property of said county;

12. House bill No. 462, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of highways in Gratiot county;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | O. C. Smith, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | White, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Shepherd, | Speaker, 63 |

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Mr. Brownell, Mr. Howard, 2

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 321, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Lansing, and any of the cities, incorporated villages or townships, in the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Clinton, Shiawassee and Livingston, to raise by tax and donate money to the Central Michigan Agricultural Society, at Lansing;

2. House bill No. 421, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Mt. Morris, in the county of Genesee;

3. House bill No. 354, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Macomb, in the county of Macomb, State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying certain bounties due to volunteers from said township, to aid in suppressing the late rebellion;

4. House bill No. 138, entitled

A bill to authorize the graded and high school of the city of Battle Creek, in the county of Calhoun, to issue bonds;

5. House bill No. 201, entitled

A bill to establish the place for holding the next township meeting, in the township of Grand Haven, in the county of Ottawa;

6. House bill No. 313, entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson;

7. House bill No. 417, entitled

A bill to change the time for holding the annual meeting of union school district No. 1, of the city and township of Niles, in the county of Berrien;

8. House bill No. 208, entitled

A bill to authorize school district number six, of the township of Marengo, in the county of Calhoun, to borrow money and issue bonds therefor, for the purposes therein mentioned;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 20, entitled

Joint resolution providing for the distribution of the highway laws to certain county and township officers;

In the passage of which, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 222, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, being act number 163, of the session laws of 1861;

2. House bill No. 406, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships and cities on a proposed line from the city of Lansing, by way of St. Johns, in Clinton county, and Ithaca, in Gratiot county, to some point north to intersect with the Flint and Pere Marquette railroad, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad;

3. House bill No. 214, entitled

A bill for the relief of settlers on swamp lands;

4. House bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 19, 20, 24 and 26, of chapter 57, of the compiled laws;

5. House bill No. 182, entitled

A bill to amend sections 8 and 88, of chapter 109, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 135 of the compiled laws;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 343, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 244, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 11, of the act entitled "an act to define the powers and duties of the board of supervisors of the several counties, and to confer upon them certain local, administrative and legislative powers," approved April 8th, 1851, being section 345, of the compiled laws,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by striking out the word "their," at the end of line 42, of recited section 11, and inserting, in lieu thereof, the word "his," also, by striking the letter "s" from the word "officers," in line 43, of the same section;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. L. Smith moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | O. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Newcombe, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Pearl, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Randall, | White, |
| Fellows, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Shetterly, | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House manuscript bill, entitled-

A bill authorizing and requiring the levying of a certain bounty tax in the township of Onondaga, in the county of Ingham;

2. House bill No. 179, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend section 26, chapter 101, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section

3864, of compiled laws, relative to the real estate of deceased persons, approved March 15, 1861;

3. House bill No. 303, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing a State road from Clio, in Genesee county, to Chesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes, to aid in the construction of the same;

4. House bill No. 253, entitled

A bill to authorize certain townships in the counties of Ionia and Montcalm, to vote a tax or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from Ionia, in Ionia county, to Stanton, in Montcalm county;

5. House bill No. 291, entitled

A bill to authorize the township board of the township of Eagle Harbor, in Keweenaw county, to raise money by tax or otherwise, to deepen and improve the channel at the entrance of Eagle Harbor;

6. House bill No. 377, entitled

A bill to enable any of the townships and cities, in the counties of Cass, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo and Calhoun, to aid in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the Indiana State line, in the township of Porter, in Cass county, by way of Constantine and Three Rivers, to the city of Battle Creek;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House, the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 31, entitled

Joint resolution asking Congress for a grant of land, to improve the harbor at the mouth of the Cheboygan river;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of certain deputy State officers and clerks;

2. Senate bill No. 186, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the salaries of the State officers for the years 1867 and 1868, and for the pay of the members and officers of the Constitutional Convention, to be held in the year 1867, and the expenses incident thereto;

3. Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill to provide for holding the circuit courts in case of the death, resignation, removal, absence or inability of the circuit judge;

4. Senate bill No. 240, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Lansing to raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the erection of college buildings for the Michigan Female College;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators

elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first and second named bills were read a first and second time by their titles, and referred to the committee on ways and means.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The fourth named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 231, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Walton, in Eaton county, to raise money by tax, or to borrow money, to build a gravel road from the village of Olivet, to some point on the Peninsular Railroad;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on local taxation.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 203, entitled

A bill to amend section one of an act entitled "an act for the better protection of the public lands, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom," approved February 12, 1857, being section 5927, of the compiled laws;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out in line 7, of section 1, the words "nor less than one year."

2. By striking out all of lines 8 and 9, after the word "dollars," in line 8;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Brownell moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Chanvin, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | White, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Langing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 273, entitled

A bill to protect mechanics and other laborers in the quiet and peaceable pursuit of their avocations,

And inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out the word "five," in line 6, section 1, and inserting the word "one," in lieu thereof. Also, by striking out the words "one year," in line 10, section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ninety days;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Warner moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
 Ball,
 Beall,
 Benedict,
 Boies,
 Brownell,
 A. S. Brown,
 O. R. Brown,
 W. G. Brown,
 Canniff,
 Camburn,

Mr. Grier,
 Healy,
 Holt,
 Hopkins,
 Howard,
 Jewell,
 R. Jones,
 Lovell,
 McOutcheon,
 Mead,
 Mickley,

Mr. Shetterly,
 Slayton,
 E. Spalding,
 P. S. Spaulding,
 Spence,
 Stannard,
 Stevens,
 Sweezy,
 Swift,
 Tompkins,
 Upton,

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| Chauvin, | Miles, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Shepherd, | |

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Mr. Kedzie, Mr. C. C. Smith, 2

Mr. Warner moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Munising,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "Munising," in line 3, of section 1, the words, "and the said township of Munising, hereby organized, shall be and is hereby attached to the county of Marquette, and shall form a part of said county of Marquette;"

2. By striking out in line 3, of section 3, the words "said county of Schoolcraft," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the county of Marquette;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. W. G. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. O. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | Holt, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Dussseau, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Pearl, | White, |
| Emerson, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Schara, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Shepherd, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Shetterly, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | Slayton, | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollments for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 276, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend act No. 61,

of the session laws of 1863, entitled an act to authorize the building of a bridge across the Menominee river, and to appropriate six sections of swamp lands to the county of Menominee, for the purpose of building the same, approved March 4, 1865, by adding two new sections thereto;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out the word "three," at the end of line 3, of recited section 12, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "two;"

Also, by striking out recited section 13;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Brownell moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Sohara,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,

Mr. Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to authorize the commissioners of highways to extend highways in certain cases;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by inserting after the word "State," and before the word "the," in line 2, section 1, the words "in the counties of Berrien and Muskegon;"

Also, by amending the title, by adding after the word "cases," the words "in the counties of Berrien and Muskegon;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Glavin moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Grier, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Healy, | O. O. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |

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| Chauvin, | Miles, | Upton, | |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, | |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, | |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn,} | Willard, | |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Wilson, | |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodward, | |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Woodman, | |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | Wright, | |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Speaker, | 60 |
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Mr. Kedzie, 1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 261, entitled

A bill rendering persons disqualified for sitting as jurors in certain cases,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out the words "this State," in line 2, of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Wayne county;"

2. By inserting the words "of Wayne county," after the word "court," in line 1 of section 2;

In the passage of which as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Walker moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | O. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Fallows, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Robinson, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Randall, | Mr. Willard, |
| Brownell, | Schars, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | E. Spalding, | Wright, |
| R. Jones, | Stevens, | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 355, entitled

A bill to define who shall be entitled to claim the privilege of residents in school districts;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by inserting in line 2, of section 1, after the word "district," the words "in the county of Cass," and also has amended the title of the bill by adding at the end thereof, the words, "in the county of Cass;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Mickley moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Oanniff, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Fellows, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Funston, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Glavin, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Greenfield, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Grier, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Healy, | Packard, | White, |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Jenness, | Slayton, | Woodward, |
| Jewell, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Emerson, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Emery, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Gallup, | C. C. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | Stevens, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Sweeney, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| A. S. Brown, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Oamburn, | Newcombe, | Willard, |
| Chauvin, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Dunlap, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Dusseau, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Eck, | | |

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The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 250, entitled

A bill to dispose of certain lands in Jackson county, bid off by the State for drainage taxes;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 135, of session laws of 1861, approved March 12, 1861, in regard to a register of probate for Wayne county,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out the words "board of supervisors," at the end of line 13 and the commencement of line 14, of recited section 8, and inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "circuit judge, or probate judge;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Walker moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
R. Jones,

Mr. L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,

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| Barber, | Kedzie, | Spence, |
| Benedict, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Boies, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Brownell, | Mead, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| O. R. Brown, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| W. G. Brown, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | White, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Slayton, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Chauvin,
Dusseau,

Mr. O. O. Smith,

Mr. Wilson,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of chapter 94, of the revised statutes, being section 2883, of the compiled laws, in regard to special administrators,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out the word "ninety," at the end of line 1, of section 1, and the word "four," and the figures "94," at the commencement of line 2, of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "seventy,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Randall moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Alexander, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Kedsie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Sweeney, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | White, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | |

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Mr. Barber, Mr. A. S. Brown, 2

Title agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 35, entitled

A bill to exempt disabled soldiers and sailors from the payment of a capitation or poll-tax,

And to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to exempt disabled soldiers, sailors and marines from the payment of any capitation or poll-tax;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House concur in the substitute adopted for the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | O. O. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Sweezey, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap | Miles, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barber,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 16, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land to L. Alonzo Mallery, of the township of Reading, Michigan;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out in line 5, the words "instructed and directed," and adding at the end of line 7, the following words: "Provided, That said L. Alonzo Mallery can establish his legal title to the rights of said John G. Lyon to the lands above described, to the satisfaction of said Commissioner;" also, by striking out in line 1, of the preamble, the word "is," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "claims to be;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. A. S. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the joint resolution by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,

Mr. Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,

Mr. Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,

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| Benedict, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Sweezey, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Tompkins |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Van Vleet, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Sexton, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Shepherd, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Shetterly, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Speaker,

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The joint resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 192, entitled

A bill enlarging the corporate powers and privileges of the First Congregational Society of East Saginaw;

And to inform the House that the Senate as amended the same by striking out all after the word "buildings," in line 6;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | C. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Newell, | White, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Brownell, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Slayton, 3

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Holland,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out sections 83, 84, and 85;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN, .

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Hill, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown. | J. H. Jones, | E. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Brownell, | | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The committee on the judiciary, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report;

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 110, entitled

A bill relative to proof of demands in suit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 416, entitled

A bill to amend all acts of compiled laws, not heretofore amended,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | | |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|----|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Schars, | |
| Gallup, | Newcombe, | Sexton, | |
| Grier, | Packard, | Shetterly, | |
| Hopkins, | Rockwood, | Wright, | 12 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | Haven, | L. Smith, |
| Barber | Healy, | E. Spalding, |
| Beall, | Hill, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | Stannard, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Stevens, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Sweezy, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Swift, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Tompkins, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Van Fleet, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Walker, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Warner, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Wells, |
| Corey, | Miles, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Wilcox, |
| Dussseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Emerson, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodman, |

Funston,
Glavin,

Robinson,
Shepherd,

Speaker,

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Mr. VanVleet moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass the bill;

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 166, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 100, of the session laws of 1848, incorporating the Detroit and Saline plank road company, by adding a new section,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Warner moved to amend the bill, by adding at the end thereof, the following:

"Provided, That said Saline plank road company, shall not establish any toll-gate within the territorial limits of the city of Detroit: And provided further, That in case said company shall fail to keep its road in good order, it shall not be lawful for such company to charge, exact, take, or receive any toll, so long as such failure shall continue;"

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Warner moved to recommit the bill to the committee on banks and incorporations, with instructions to amend the same as proposed, and also as follows:

By striking out of line 6, section 1, the words "one thousand," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "two thousand five hundred;" also, by striking out of line 12, section 1, the words "two thousand," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "two thousand five hundred;" also in same line, strike out the words "and less than three thousand;"

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on banks and incorporations submitted the following report:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was recommitting House bill No. 166, entitled

A bill to amend act number 100, of the session laws of 1848,

incorporating the Detroit and Saline plank road company, by adding a new section,

With instructions to amend the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, amended in accordance with the instructions of the House, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Sweezey, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Holt, | Rockwood, | Wright, |

Hopkins,
Howard,Schars,
Sexton,

Speaker,

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NAYS

Mr. Benedict,
Chauvin,
Corey,Mr. Duseau,
Murray,Mr. C. C. Smith,
Wilson,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 446, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The bill was referred to the committee on public lands.

House bill No. 471, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Houghton,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Emerson,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 429, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Paw Paw,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 109, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, of chapter 187, being sections 5981, 5982, 5983 and 5984, of the compiled laws, relative to lotteries,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,Mr. Schars,
Shepherd,

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Barber, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Sweezey, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Van Fleet, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | |
| | NAYS. | 71 |
| | | 0 |

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 118, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Grand Rapids,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr Hopkins | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Taylor |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Van Fleet, |

Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,

Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,

Walker,}
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 118, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Jackson to purchase certain volumes of abstracts, and to provide for compensation for the use of the same,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Ohauvin,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenneas
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Mr. Robinson,
Schara,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,

Grier,
Haven,
Healy,

Pearl,
Randall,

Woodman,
Speaker,

70

NAYS.

Mr. Wright,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Ball,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 834, entitled

A bill to provide for the re-assessment and collection of certain taxes in the township of Penn, in the county of Cass,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dussean,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,

Mr. Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Robinson,

Mr. Schars,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
K. Spalding,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Van Fleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. W. G. Brown,
Dunlap,
Fenton,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Lovell,

Mr. Mason,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Randall,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Upton,

18

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill relating to certain bonds issued by the trustees of school district No. 1, of the township of Portage, in the county of Houghton,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Willard,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 409, entitled

A bill providing for the appointment of commissioners of State roads, in the county of Ontonagon, by the Governor,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Emerson,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 410, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Emmet from the first judicial circuit, and attach the same to the thirteenth judicial circuit,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Fleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,

Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Holt,

Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

77

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 401, entitled

A bill to define the capacity of dry barrels,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dussseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,]

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,]
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,]
Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

77

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 408, entitled

A bill to authorize Edmund Burroughs to build a dam across Flat river, in the township of Vergennes, in Kent county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,

Mr. Hopkins,

Mr. Schars,

Ball,

Howard,

Shepherd,

Beall,

Huckins,

Shetterly,

Benedict,

Jeanness,

Slayton,

A. S. Brown,

Jewell,

L. Smith,

O. R. Brown,

J. H. Jones,

E. Spalding,

W. G. Brown,

R. Jones,

P. S. Spaulding,

Canniff,

Kedzie,

Stannard,

Camburn,

Locke,

Stevens,

Chauvin,

Lovell,

Sweezey,

Corey,

Mason,

Swift,

Deane,

McCutcheon,

Taylor,

Dunlap,

Mickley,

Tompkins,

Dusseau,

Miles,

Upton,

Eck,

Murray,

Van Vleet,

Emerson,

Newcombe,

Walker,

Emery,

Newell,

Warner,

Fellows,

W. H. Osborn,

White,

Fenton,

Packard,

Wilcox,

Funston,

F. Parsons,

Willard,

Gallup,

Parmelee,

Wilson,

Glavin,

Pearl,

Woodward,

Grier,

Randall,

Woodman,

Haven,

Robinson,

Wright,

Healy,

Rockwood,

Speaker,]

Holt,

76

NAYS.

Mr. [Barber,]

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 430, entitled

A bill to amend section 26, of chapter 88, and section 16, chapter 175, of the compiled laws, relative to registers of deeds,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | O. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Dussseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Packard, | White, |
| Finston, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Randall, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Eck, | McOutcheon, | Van Vleet, |

12

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 424, entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils, manufactured from petroleum or coal oil,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson.
Emery,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 66

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Benedict,
Boies,

Mr. Eck,
Howard,
R. Jones,

Mr. McCutcheon,
Parmelee,
Slayton, 9

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 414, entitled

A bill to amend section 58, of chapter 108, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 128, of the compiled laws,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,

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| Camburn, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Speaker, 66 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Eck, | Mr. McOutcheon, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Parmelee, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Slayton, 9 |

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 422, entitled

A bill to promote the collection of debts by creditors of railroad companies,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | O. O. Smith, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Van Fleet, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Woodman, |

Haven,
Healy,

Schars,
Shepherd,

Wright,
Speaker, 66

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Benedict,
Boies,
Eck,

Mr. Howard,
R. Jones,
McOutcheon,

Mr. Parmelee,
Slayton,
Wilcox,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize proceedings by garnishment, in the circuit courts, and in the district court of the Upper Peninsula, approved March 16, 1861,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Emery,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 66

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Benedict,
Boies,
Eck,

Mr. Howard,
R. Jones,
McOutcheon,

Mr. Parmelee,
Slayton,
Van Vleet,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Emerson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 404, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 126, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 154, of the compiled laws, by adding a new section thereto, relating to miners' liens upon mining property,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Emerson,

The bill was amended by inserting the words "real or," after the word "on," in line 11, of recited section 44.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Rookwood, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Sohars, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Sweezey, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

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NAYS.

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 381, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was amended by inserting the words "except under," in section 1, line 2, after the word "offense."

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Haven, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Holt, | O. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | Sweeney, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Upton, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Van Fleet, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Dussseau, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Glavin, | Scharr, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Parmelee, Mr. Wilson,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 162, entitled

A bill for the prevention and punishment of trespasses on lands granted by the United States to the State of Michigan, for railroad purposes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | C. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Schare, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

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NAYS.

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|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Mr. Camburn, | Mr. Murray, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Dussan, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Aitken,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to amend section 1937, being section 43, of chapter 67, of the compiled laws, it being an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855, so

as to require all persons and companies owning or occupying railroads, to fence the same,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | R. Jones,] | O. C. Smith, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Dussean, | W. H. Osborn,] | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Schara, | Speaker |
| Healy, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. A. S. Brown, | Mr. Murray, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Camburn, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Aitken,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 439, entitled,

A bill to amend act No. 113, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, it being an act to organize the Wayne County Farm for the benefit and support of the poor, into a school district,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healey, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Howard, | O. C. Smith, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Sweezy, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Dussseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Fellews, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Haven, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Camburn, | Mr. Murray, | Mr. Wilson, | 8 |
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Swift,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 444, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of union school district No. 1, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |

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|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Benedict, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Sweezey, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Camburn,
Dusseau,

Mr. Stannard,

Mr. Woodman,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Aitken,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to request the House to return to the Senate, House bill No. 318, entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The committee on engrossment and enrollment were instructed to report the bill back to the House, without action.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report back to the House, without action, House bill No. 318, entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The Clerk was instructed to return the bill to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 18, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, approved February 5, 1859, Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

Mr. Woodman, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 429, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Paw Paw;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mickleby, | Stevens, |
| Camburn | Miles, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Dussean, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Jenness, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 428, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Sheridan, in the county of Calhoun, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for said township by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Schars, |
| Barber, | Holt, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mason, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Speaker, 69 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Wright, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | 11 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Haven,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the commissioners of highways of the townships of Brockway and Emmet, in St. Clair county, as to building a bridge across Mill Creek, between said townships,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Funston,

The bill was amended by striking out the word "July," in the last line, and inserting the word "September," in lieu thereof.

The bill was then passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Schars, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezey, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 484, entitled

A bill to amend section 13, of an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 16, 1861, approved March 20, 1863,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Healy,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 426, entitled

A bill to amend section 161, of the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. White,

The bill was amended, by striking out of line one, section one, the word "sixty-one," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "fifty-one,"

Also, by striking out of line 2, of the same section, the words, "of the charter of Ypsilanti," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "of an act entitled an act to revise the charter of Ypsilanti, being act No. 214, of the session laws of 1865."

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown.
Canniff,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedsie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,

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| Eck, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Speaker, 80 |
| Holt, | Schars, | |

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

“ A bill to amend section 161, of an act to revise the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, being act No. 214, of the session laws of 1865, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money.”

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jenness,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 440, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize any of the towns or municipalities in the counties of Oakland, Livingston, Wayne, Monroe and Washtenaw, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of Holly, in the county of Oakland, to the city of Monroe, in the county of Monroe, approved March 18, 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |

U. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,

Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Rockwood,
Schars,

E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,
Swezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Camburn,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Fenton,
Holt,

Mr. Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Robinson,

Mr. Spence,
Stannard,
Warner,
Wells,
Wilcox,

17

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 437, entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement of certain rapids in Pigeon river, in the county of Huron,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Mead,
Miles,

Mr. Shepherd,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Swezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,

Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Walker,
Wells,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

56

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
Mason,

Mr. Mickley,
Murray,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,
Shetterly,

Mr. Slayton,
Stannard,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Wright,

26

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 420, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a further appropriation for the Sand Beach and Bay City State road,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Mead,
Miles,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Pearl,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Mr. Shepherd,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

56

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|-----------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Mickley, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Camburn, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Chauvin, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Jenness, | Parmalee, | Willard, |
| J. H. Jones, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Lovell, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Mason, | Shetterly, | |

26

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 413, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp
land, by means of a State road and ditch, in Huron county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the
members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Hill, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Hopkins, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Howard, | Spence, |
| Corey, | Huckins, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | Jewell, | Sweezy, |
| Dussean, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Kedsie, | Taylor, |
| Emerson, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Greenfield, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Grier, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Haven, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|----------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Mason, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Slayton, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Jenness, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |

J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,

Randall,
Robinson,

Willard,
Woodward,

25

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 419, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from the village of Munising, in town 47 north, of range 18 west, in Schoolcraft county, to the village of Escanaba, in town 39 north, of range 23 west, in Delta county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Mead,
Miles,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Rockwood,
Schars,

Mr. Shepherd,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spalding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 57

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,

Mr. Mason,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
Stannard,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,

25

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 436, entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 15, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 15, 1861,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Hill, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Hopkins, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| Deane, | Jewell, | Stevens, |
| Dusseau, | R. Jones, | Sweeney, |
| Eck, | Kedzie, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Haven, | | |

55

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Mason, | Mr. Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | White, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Jenness, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| J. H. Jones, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Locke, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Lovell, | Shetterly, | |

26

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 452, entitled

A bill to authorize corporations of other States to engage in mining and manufacturing within this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Schara, | |

77

NAYS.

Mr. Camburn,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 427, entitled

A bill to amend section 8, of act No. 231, of the session laws of 1863, relative to proceedings by garnishment,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Sweezey, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 459, entitled

A bill to prohibit certain immoral advertisements,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Grier moved to amend the bill, by striking out all after the word "which," in the second line of section 1, and all before the word "offers," in line 3;

Pending which motion,

On motion of Mr. O. R. Brown,

The bill was recommitted to the committee of the whole.

House bill No. 464, entitled

A bill to organize young men's Christian associations,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| | NAYS. | 78 |
| | | 0 |

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 445, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Menominee, in the county of Menominee, to establish and maintain a free ferry across the Menominee river,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | G. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Fmerson, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Benedict,
Chauvin,

Mr. Corey,
Dusseau,
Fenton,

Mr. Murray,
P. S. Spaulding,
8

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 448, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a road in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain taxes therefor,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. C. O. Smith,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to authorize the county of St. Joseph to build, construct and repair all bridges across the St. Joseph river, in the county of St. Joseph, at the expense of the county at large,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Howard,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 462, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of highways in Gratiot county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Swezey, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Greenfield, | Parnalee, | White, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Heally, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | Speaker, 75 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|------------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Corey, | Mr. Murray, |
| Benedict, | Dussean, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Fenton, | 8 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 465, entitled

A bill to make the expense of building and repairing high-

way bridges across the Shiawassee, Lookingglass and Maple rivers, in the county of Shiawassee, a charge upon the taxable property of said county,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Locke,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 456, entitled

A bill making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School, for the years 1867 and 1868,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | C. C. Smith, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Chauvin,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 250, of the session laws of 1861, and to add a new section thereto, relative to juvenile offenders,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Sweezey, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Glawin, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | Speaker, 72 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Taylor, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | R. B. Smith, | Wells, 9 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 463, entitled .

A bill to provide for re-assessing, assessing and collecting taxes, to pay for certain improvements upon Michigan Avenue and Cedar street, in the city of Lansing, and also to pay the interest which has accrued or may accrue on the sums expended in making such improvements,

Being under consideration,

Mr. C. R. Brown moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on the judiciary;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 458, entitled

A bill to enable townships, cities and counties to redeem their pledges in paying bounties to volunteers to aid in the suppression of the rebellion,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Haven, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Healy, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Hill, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Howard, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |

W. G. Brown,
Dusseau,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Pearl,
Rockwood,
Sexton,

R. B. Smith,
Stannard,
Van Vleet,
Warner,
Willard,
Wright,

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

Mr. Wells moved to amend the title by inserting the word "the," after the word "enable," and by striking out the words "cities and counties," and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "of Wayne, county of Cass," and by striking out the word "their," and inserting the word "its," in lieu thereof.

Mr. Newcombe moved to amend the motion, so that the title should read as follows:

"A bill to enable the township of Wayne, in the county of Cass, to raise money by tax to refund the voluntary subscriptions to pay bounties;"

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to amend the title was then agreed to.

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

House joint resolution No. 30, entitled

Joint resolution to provide for the representation of the industries and capabilities of the State of Michigan at the Paris Exposition,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Grier,
Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Jenness,

Mr. Jewell,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Parmelee,
Schars,
Slayton,
L. Smith,

Mr. R. B. Smith,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Willard,
Speaker,

35

NAYS.

| | | |
|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Ball, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Locke, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Mason, | C. C. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Mickley, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Miles, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Corey, | Packard, | White, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Rockwood, | Wright, |
| Holt, | | |

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House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Fulton, in Gratiot county, to issue bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, to certain persons who enlisted in the service of the United States, and were credited to said township,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |

Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,

Rockwood,
Sexton,
Shepherd,

Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

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YAYS.

Mr. A. S. Brown,
Haven,

Mr. W. H. Osborn, Mr. Van Vleet,
Schars,

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"A bill to repeal the charter of the Monroe and Flat Rock plank road company."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dusseau,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Grier moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 194, entitled

A bill to provide for the completion of the Cass River and Bay City State road;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Alexander,
Beall,
Benedict,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Mead,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parmelee,
Randall,

Mr. L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Willard,

Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Sexton,
Shepherd,
O. C. Smith,

Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman, 51

NAYS.

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----|
| Mr. W. G. Brown, ¹ | Mr. McCutcheon, | Mr. Slayton, | |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Spence, | |
| Corey, | Murray, | Stannard, | |
| Jenness, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, | |
| Locke, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, | |
| Lovell, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Mason, | Schara, | Speaker, | 21 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Newcombe moved to take from table House bill No. 455, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the north-west corner of section 36, in township twelve north, of range six east, to the township of Marathon, in Lapeer county, and appropriating certain swamp lands therefor;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Newcombe,

The bill was amended, by striking out the word "six," in line 6, of section 1, and inserting the word "eighteen," in lieu thereof.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Ball, | Grier, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Beall, | Healy, | Spence, |
| Benedict, | Hill, | Stevens, |
| Brownell, | Holt, | Sweezy, |
| A. S. Brown, | Hopkins, | Swift, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Tompkins, |

Dussean,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Glavin,

Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Schara,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,

Upton.
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
Wilson,
Woodman, 42

NAYS.

Mr. Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Haven,
Howard,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Locke,

Mr. Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,

Mr. Robinson,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
Stannard,,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wright,
Speaker,

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Mr. Newcombe moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and the following members were reported absent, without leave:

Messrs. Aitken, Gallup, Grier, Huckins, Kedzie, Rockwood and Shetterly.

Mr. Funston asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Huckins, on account of sickness.

Mr. O. R. Brown asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Kedzie, on account of sickness.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Gallup at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

Mr. Gallup was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Rockwood at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Ball,

Mr. Rockwood was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. Swift moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. R. B. Smith,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Shetterly at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

Mr. Shetterly was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. Emery moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Aitken at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

Mr. Aitken was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-arms announced Mr. Grier at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Brownell,

Mr. Grier was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

On motion of J. H. Jones,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Swift moved to take from the table House bill No. 448, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a road in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain taxes therefor;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Funston, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Gallup, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Glavin, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Haven, | L. Smith, |
| Boles, | Hill, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Holt, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Hopkins, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Howard, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Jenness, | Sweeney, |
| Camburn, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Locke, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Fenton, | Robinson, | Speaker, 57 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Beall, | Mason, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Murray, | O. O. Smith, |
| Greenfield, | Newell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Grier, | Packard, | Stannard, |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Jewell, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| J. H. Jones, | Schars, | 23 |

Title agreed to.

Mr. Upton moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 215, entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Jackson, to pledge its credit in the construction of a railroad from some point on or near the St. Clair river, to the Indiana State line, on the route deemed most eligible, to Chicago, in the State of Illinois;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a ma-

majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Barber | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Beall, | Mead, | E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | Miles, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvin, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Rockwood, | Upton, |
| Dussseau, | Schars, | Wilson, |
| Eck, | Sexton, | Woodward, |
| Emery, | L. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Jennness, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Randall, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mickly, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | |

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Mr. Grier moved to take from the table House bill No. 298, entitled

A bill to provide for the reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the plank road between Midland and Bay city, north, to the intersection of the Saginaw and Sable State road, to be known as the Bangor and Maple Ridge State road;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The bill was amended by striking out section 8.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Schars, |
| Ball, | Haven, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Healy, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Hill, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Holt, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Howard, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Stevens, |
| Oanniff, | Mason, | Sweezey, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodman, 60 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------------|--------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Corey, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Shetterly, | Speaker, 18 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Grier moved to take from the table House bill No. 379, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a road to be known as the Tuscola county State road;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

Mr. Grier moved to amend the bill by inserting at the end of the bill the following:

"Provided, The lands be selected from any of the unsold and unappropriated swamp lands in the counties of Bay and Tuscola;"

Which motion was withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. Greenfield,

The bill was amended by striking out the word "city," in line 5, of section 1, and also in line 1, of section 3.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | O. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | Havey, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Healy, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Hill, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Holt, | Stevens, |
| A. S. Brown, | Howard, | Sweezy, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | Swift, |
| Deane, | R. Jones, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | McOutcheon, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Rockwood, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|----------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Locke, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Corey, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| J. H. Jones, | Schars, | |

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The committee on roads and bridges, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was recommended House bill No. 387, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 39, of session laws of 1865, entitled "an act to amend section fifteen, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws, relative to the duties of overseers of highways," approved February 10, 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Aitken,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jencks, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Brownell, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Oamburn, | Murray, | Swezey, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Woodward, |

Hopkins,
Howard,

Rockwood,
Schars,

Wright,
Speaker, 63

NAYS.

Mr. A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,

Mr. Deane,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fenton,
Huckins,

Mr. Mickley,
C. C. Smith,
Tompkins,
Woodman, 14

The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The title was amended by adding at the end thereof, the following:

"And to amend section 9, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

Mr. Mickley moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 18, entitled

A bill to authorize townships and cities in the counties of Wayne, Washtenaw and Lenawee, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from Detroit, by the way of Adrian and Morenci, to Fort Wayne;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor; by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,

Mr. Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,

Mr. Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,

Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Glavin,

L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,

Van Vleet,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAY3.

Mr. W. G. Brown,
Eck,
Fenton,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
McCutcheon,

Mr. Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
Pearl,
Slayton,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,

Mr. Stannard,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Woodward,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 224, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved February 12, 1855, being chapter 67, of the compiled laws of 1857, by adding a new section thereto;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and,

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The rule requiring the second and third reading of bills to be on different days, was suspended, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Haven, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | C. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | McOntocheon, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Cory, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Speaker, 57 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Slayton, | Mr. Walker, |
| Murray, | Spence, | Warner, |
| Rockwood, | Stannard, | Wright, 9 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

Lansing, Wednesday, March 20, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Spencer.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent at roll call, without leave, Messrs. C. R. Brown, Locke and Sweezey.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. Healy: remonstrance of Harrison W. Jackson, E. N. K. Talcott and 183 others, residents of Washington county, against the repeal of the act organizing said county.

Referred to the special committee to whom was committed the investigation of certain charges against Mr. Healy, contained in a printed circular.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on internal improvements:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the superintendents of the poor of the county of Allegan to provide for the construction of necessary buildings for the protection of the poor of said county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

● By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 196, entitled

A bill to authorize the sale of certain lands belonging to the State in the city of Jackson,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred House bill No. 446, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill.

The bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,

Mr. Grier,
Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
R. Jones,
Locke,

Mr. Robinson,
Schars,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,

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| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | | |

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| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Camburn, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Lovell, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | McCutcheon, | White, |
| Haven, | Murray, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | Sexton, | |

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Newcombe,

The title was amended, so as to read as follows:

"A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from Birch Run to Chesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes, to aid in the construction of the same."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Newcombe,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill to provide for holding the circuit courts in case of the death, resignation, removal, absence or inability of the circuit judge,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the

House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 220, entitled

A bill to regulate the size of apple barrels,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Joint resolution refunding certain moneys to the credit of the Ontonagon and State Line State road, and the L'Anse and State Line State road;

Also, the communication of the Secretary of State, upon the subject,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the joint resolution back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the joint resolution when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the joint resolution by the committee.

The joint resolution was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred

A bill to provide that bodies of deceased convicts, when given to anatomical professors for dissection, for the purpose of advancing medical science in this State, to be used for study in this State only,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize dissection in certain cases, for the advancement of science,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred

A bill to attach certain territory to union school district No. 1, in the township of Columbia,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, be printed, and referred to the committee of the whole.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Aitken,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize the Roman Catholic bishops of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust for the use of their church,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it be printed, and placed on the general order, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

L. S. PARMELEE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 210, entitled

A bill to create a fire commission in the city of Detroit;

Also, the petitions of John Palmer and 19 others; and of Johnson & Wheeler, Moses W. Field, John Owen and 100 others; and of Garrison & Newberry, R. W. King, Edward Orr and 20 others; and of H. P. Baldwin, F. Buhl, Allen Shelden & Co., and others; and of Edward Lefavour, G. & R. McMillan, G. C. Chandler and 28 others, for the passage of said bill,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the bill back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when

so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Emery,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Mr. Walker moved that the rules be suspended, and that the bill be placed on the order of third reading;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

⁴ By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was recommended House bill No. 394, entitled

A bill to amend certain sections of the compiled laws, relative to the collection of assessments of labor upon highways,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives :

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to provide for the assessment and collection of certain school taxes in the third ward of the city of Coldwater, Michigan;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Riverside, in the county of Wayne;

Also,

An act to change the name of the village of Varna, in Genesee county, to that of Clio;

Also,

An act relative to the discontinuing of State roads by the commissioners of highways;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Three Oaks;

Also,

An act to provide for the return and settlement of tax sales of county treasurers;

Also,

An act to amend chapter 103, of the compiled laws of 1857, relating to the sale of real estate on execution, by adding thereto a new section;

Also,

An act to provide against nuisances;

Also,

An act to prevent the running at large, of bulls, stallions, boars and rams;

Also,

An act to amend an act to incorporate the city of Coldwater, approved February 28, 1861;

Also,

An act to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, approved March 15, 1861;

Also,

An act to amend sections 1 and 2, of an act entitled an act to authorize the several townships in the counties of Muskegon, Oceana, Mason and Manistee, to levy taxes for the improvement of harbors and rivers within their respective counties, approved March 15, 1861;

Also,

An act to authorize the townships of Harrison and Clinton, in the county of Macomb, to raise a tax for the purposes in said bill mentioned;

Also,

An act to authorize the township of Ada, in Kent county, to borrow money for bridge purposes;

Also,

An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint;

Also,

Joint resolution relative to the location and sale of the lands donated to the State of Michigan for the endowment of colleges, for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts;

Also,

Joint resolution asking for a grant of lands for a railroad from the iron mining region of the Upper Peninsula, to Munising and the Straits of Mackinaw.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of State, in compiling, as heretofore directed, the highway laws, as they shall exist at the end of the present session, be requested to publish therewith the forms applicable to the highway laws of this State, prepared and published by Wm. T. Young: *Provided,* The use of the copyright thereof for this purpose, can be obtained for a reasonable sum, to be fixed by the

Board of State Auditors: *And provided*, That on examination by him the same shall be found applicable to existing laws;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 295, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Middleville, in Barry county;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out in line 2, section 2, the words "second Monday of March," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "first Monday in May."

2. By striking out in line 9, section 2, the words "second Monday of March," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "first Monday in May."

3. By adding at the end of section 2, the following words; "and at said first election the electors present may choose by viva voce vote, inspectors of said election;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Schars moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Schars, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Oanniff, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Oamburn, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Van Fleet, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Murray, | White, |
| Emerson. | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Speaker, 72 |

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Mr. O. C. Smith, 1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend section 12, of chapter 12, of the compiled laws, relative to highway commissioners;

2. Senate bill No. 107, entitled

A bill relative to judgments in criminal cases;

3. Senate bill No. 238, entitled

A bill to authorize the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw railroad company to acquire rights of way in certain cases, and granting right of way to said company over the unimproved lands belonging to this State;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 203, entitled

A bill in relation to commercial paper;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take effect on the 12th day of May, A.D. 1867, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 199, entitled

A bill to prevent the sale of intoxicating drinks to minors, and to prevent their being permitted to play at games of chance where such drinks are sold;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out after the word "sold," in the 3d line of section 1, the words, "or in any other building or place;"

2. By inserting after the word "drinks," in the 5th line of the same section, the words, "except when prescribed by a regular physician for medicinal purposes;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Mickley moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,

Mr. Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,

Mr. Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,

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| O. B. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Speaker, 72 |

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Mr. Dusseau, Mr. Wilson, 2

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint resolution in relation to rolls of honor;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on military affairs.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill: .

House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to cause an act entitled an act to attach certain unorganized townships to the township of Helena, Antrim county, to take immediate effect,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by inserting in line 5, of section 1, after the figures "1867," the words "and an act to authorize the city of Battle Creek, and the counties of Calhoun, Kalamazoo and Barry, to raise by tax and donate money to the agricultural and mechanical association at Battle Creek;"

The Senate has also amended the title by inserting after the word "counties," the words, "and an act to authorize the city of Battle Creek, and the townships in the counties of Calhoun, Kalamazoo and Barry, to raise by tax and donate money to the agricultural and mechanical association at Battle Creek;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Willard moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,

Mr. Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,

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| Benedict, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | O. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mason, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Packard, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Speaker, 72 |

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Mr. Pearl,
Sexton,
Shepherd,

Mr. Slayton,
White,

Mr. Wilson,
Wright,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 269, entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of the interest on the State debt;

2. House bill No. 300, entitled

A bill to authorize the electors of the township of Columbia, in Van Buren county, to raise money by tax to pay Norman H. Adams, James M. Gray and Amos S. Brown, for money advanced by them, as a committee, to fill the quota of said township;

3. House bill No. 315, entitled

A bill to prevent fishing with seines and every kind of continuous nets in the waters of the county of St. Joseph;

4. House bill No. 340, entitled

A bill to provide an additional sum for the payment of members and officers of the Legislature, for the year 1867;

In the passage of which, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 152, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships of this State, to raise money by tax, or to borrow money, to build or repair bridges;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By adding after the word "vote," in line 4, section 2, the words "by ballot;" also, by adding after the word "meeting," in the same line, "or of a special meeting;"

2. By adding at the end of section 3, the following: "said bonds to draw interest at a rate not exceeding ten per cent;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has

ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Glavin moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | C. O. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Van Fleet, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Schars, | |

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| Mr. Emery, | Mr. Miles, | Mr. Newell, | 3 |
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O. R. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 372, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities of Monroe and Washtenaw counties, to pledge their credit in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the route of the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana railroad, in the city of Monroe, or within sixteen miles thereof, to the village of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, by the way of Dundee;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by inserting after the word "completed," in line 12, of section 9, the words, "the ties shall have been furnished and delivered on the line of said road, and the bridges, culverts, cattle guards and road crossings shall be fully completed;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Stevens moved that the House concur in the amendment made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Schara, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |

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| Corey, | Mickley. | Sweezey, |
| Deane, " | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Funston, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Gallup, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Brownell, Mr. Spence, 2

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 830, entitled

A bill for the protection of the rights of females;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by adding, at the end of section 1, the following: "And in addition to all other costs allowed by law, the plaintiff in such suit shall recover an attorney's fee of five dollars, to be taxed with the other costs in the cause, and to be collected in the same manner as such other costs are collected;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Brownell moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Shetterly, |

Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Emery,
Eellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Greenfield,

Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,

Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Corey,
R. Jones,

Mr. Murray,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. Parmelee,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 250, entitled

A bill to protect property on the Saginaw river from fire;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "catcher," in line 5, section 1, the words, "and the same closed;"
2. By striking out the word "two," in line 2, section 2, and inserting in lieu, the word "one;"
3. By striking out all of section 2, after the word "there-with," in the 5th line;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN, \

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kedsie, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Swozey, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Rockwood, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Schara, | |

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NAYS.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 15, entitled

Joint resolution relative to customs and excise;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill in relation to security for costs;

2. House bill No. 327, entitled

A bill to authorize the collection of fines in certain cases, by execution;

3. House bill No. 326, entitled

A bill to amend section 39, of chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5783, of the compiled laws, relative to false pretenses;

4. House bill No. 286, entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Keweenaw to aid in the construction of the Mineral Range State road, in said county;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill, entitled:

A bill to organize the township of Howard, in the county of Muskegon,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out in line 6, section 1, the figure "7," and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "8;" also, by adding at the end of section 1, the following proviso: "*Provided*, A majority of the board of supervisors of the county of Muskegon shall so determine at their annual meeting in October, 1867;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. W. G. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr Howard, | Mr. Schar, |
| Alexander, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| C. B. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Carniff, | Mickley, | Stevens, |

Chauvin,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Funston,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins

Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,

Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
White,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives :

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities in the counties of Berrien and Cass to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, in township eight south, range seventeen west, in said Berrien county, or in township eight south, range sixteen west, in said county of Cass,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended said bill by striking out section 7;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Glavin moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Swezey, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | Rookwood, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS

Mr. Spence,

1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 376, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships or municipalities, in the counties of Wayne, Macomb, Lapeer, Tuscola, Saginaw

and Bay, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from or near the junction of the Detroit and Milwaukee and Grand Trunk Junction railways, in the county of Wayne, northerly, through said counties, to Bay City, in the county of Bay,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by inserting in line 4, of section 5, after the word "thereon," the words, "and the ties shall have been delivered along the line of said road, and all bridges, culverts, cattle guards and road crossings, shall be fully completed;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Aitken moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Swezey, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Dussean, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |

Haven,
Healy,Schara,
Sexton,Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Warner,

1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 236, entitled

A bill relative to the imprisonment of defendants in civil suits in certain cases;

2. Senate bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Jackson;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 342, entitled

A bill to authorize townships and cities in the counties of

Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Jackson, by way of the villages of Addison and Hudson, and the township of Medina, to some point in Ohio, connecting with the Atlantic and Great Western railroad, or to some intermediate point,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended said bill by adding at the end of section 1, the following:

"And provided further, That the outstanding indebtedness hereafter to be incurred by any such township or city, in aid of any or all railroads, shall not exceed at any time, ten per cent. of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of such township or city;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Boies moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. C. C. Smith, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Swezey, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | White, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Wilcox, |

Healy,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,

Robinson,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,

Willard
Wilson,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,

1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 366, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for laying out, establishing and improving a road from Muskegon lake to the north line of Mason county, and to appropriate swamp lands therefor,

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Attorney General of this State, be and he is hereby instructed to take such

proper and necessary steps as may be consistent with existing laws, to cause the affairs of the Olimax Mutual Insurance Company to be wound up, and a receiver of the assets of said Company appointed;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 19, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 197, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of slack water navigation companies, and defining their powers and duties,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended said bill as follows:

1. By striking out, in the second line of section 1, the words "jurisdiction of," and inserting in lieu thereof, the following: "the counties of St. Joseph, Cass, Berrien and Cheboygan, in;" also, by inserting after the word "existence," in the 6th line of section 1, the words, "not exceeding thirty years;"

2. By inserting after the word "into," in line 2, section 19, the words "the counties of St. Joseph, Cass, Berrien and Cheboygan, in," and after the word "of," in the same line, "said counties of;"

3. By inserting after the word "of," in line 2, section 20, the words, "said counties of;"

The Senate has also amended the title of the bill, by inserting after the word "companies," the words "for the improvement of rivers in the counties of St. Joseph, Cass, Berrien and Cheboygan;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Kedzie moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Locke, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Oanniff, | Mead, | Sweezey, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Warner, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | White, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Sexton, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Shepherd, | Wilson, |
| Hopkins, | Sbetterly, | Woodward, |
| Howard, | Slayton, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | O. C. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Jewell, | L. Smith, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball, Mr. A. S. Brown, Mr. Dusseau, 8

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Emery moved to take from the table House bill No. 178, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the county of Sanilac, and attach the same to Lapeer county;

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been previously read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

The bill was not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Parmelee, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Pearl, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Schars, | Wilson, |
| Hopkins, | Slayton, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | R. B. Smith, | Speaker, 36 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Rockwood, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Funston, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Glavin, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | | 37 |

The committee on religious and benevolent societies, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred

A bill to incorporate the board of trustees of the Michigan Universalist State Convention,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to incorporate the board of trustees of the Michigan Universalist State Convention,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

L. S. PARMELEE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Wells,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, submitted the following report;

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report, as correctly enrolled, signed, and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills:

A Bill to provide for the taxation of improvements upon homestead lands as personal property;

Also,

A bill to authorize Midland county to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Midland and Bay City plank road;

Also,

A bill to legalize the tax-roll of the village of Parma, in the county of Jackson, for the year 1866;

Also,

A bill to provide for the re-survey and re-platting of the village of Lexington;

Also,

A bill enlarging the corporate powers and privileges of the First Congregational society, of East Saginaw;

Also,

A bill to amend section 2, of act No. 147, of the session laws of 1861, it being an act to amend section 2014 and 2017 of the

compiled laws, in reference to religious societies, so as to authorize the recording of articles of association, and to give trustees, wardens and vestrymen authority to execute securities upon church property, in certain cases;

Also,

A bill to amend section 6179, being section 22, of chapter 202, of compiled laws, relative to the compensation of Inspectors of the State Prison;

Also,

A bill for the relief of the township of Delta, in the county of Eaton;

Also,

A bill to exempt soldiers, sailors and marines from the payment of a capitation or poll tax.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

Mr. Taylor offered the following:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Secretary of State, be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to build, or cause to be built, a new out-house, in some proper place in the yard of the Capitol, for the use of the members and officers of the Legislature. Said building to be at least twenty-four feet square, one story high, to be built of wood, and to be finished so as not to exceed the cost of five hundred dollars, and to be completed by the first of December next.

Laid on the table for one day under the rules.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS,

Being the consideration of the following resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Board of Control of the Reform School, be and they are hereby requested to furnish the school with papers suitable for the boys, so that each one may have a paper each week;

The resolution was adopted.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Kedzie in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 461, entitled

A bill to provide for the temporary right of way for purpose of lumbering;

2. House bill No. 457, entitled

A bill making appropriation to build two houses, a kitchen, bakery and laundry, for the State Reform School, and for warming the main building with steam;

3. House bill No. 466, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled "an act to amend sections 1 and 3, of act No. 46, of the laws of 1864," approved February 5, 1864, relative to a State road in Gratiot and Isabella counties, approved March 20, 1865;

4. House bill No. 301, entitled

A bill to legalize the allowance of certain claims against the township of Springwells, for advances to procure enlistments;

5. House bill No. 475, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1185, 1186 and 1187, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 38, of said laws, in reference to the recording of town plats and vacating of the same;

6. House bill No. 475, entitled

A bill in relation to suits commenced by attachment;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

7. House bill No. 468, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Burlington, in the county of Calhoun, to raise money by tax, to pay certain sums advanced by citizens of said township for bounty to volunteers;

8. House bill No. 473, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of St. Joseph, approved March 7, 1834, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved February 11, 1859;

9. House bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Detroit and Lake St. Clair plank road company;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bill:

10. House bill No. 469, entitled

A bill to provide for additional voting precincts, in such townships as may require them;

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the committee on elections, with instructions to amend the same so that it shall apply only to the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county.

R. C. KEDZIE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first six named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The amendments made to the next three named bills were concurred in, *in gross*, and the bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The last named bill was recommitted to the committee on

elections, with instructions to amend the same as recommended by the committee of the whole.

On motion of Mr. Schars,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock, this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. Kedzie asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, until to-morrow morning.

Mr. Willard moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass House bill No. 455, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the north-west corner of section 36, in township 12 north, of range 6 east, to the township of Marathon, in Lapeer county, and appropriating certain swamp lands therefor;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Newcombe,

The bill was laid on the table.

The committee on fisheries, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred the fishing interests of the State, have had the same under consideration, and respectfully beg leave to submit the following report:

The fisheries of Michigan but a few years ago were comparatively insignificant and unknown to our people, and scarcely entitled to mention as a branch of our commerce; even as late as 1845, the entire catch of our fisheries amounted only to a few hundred barrels, and these had to be disposed of by the poor fishermen at ruinous prices; but the development of our resources and the ready and growing demand for our lake fish,

as a delicious and wholesome article of food, has given a steady impetus to this branch of our commerce, and now we can proudly boast of having the greatest and richest fresh-water fisheries in the world, and almost equal if not rivaling the salt water fisheries of the Atlantic ocean. We regret that no statistical information of the annual catch in past years was available to your committee, but from general information furnished by gentlemen of character and integrity, who have been largely engaged in the fishing business during the last ten years, the catch of the past season cannot fall much short of 200,000 packages, which, at fair market rates, would amount to one and a half millions of dollars. Fabulous as the amount may appear to persons who are not acquainted with the magnitude of the business, in our opinion it is rather below than above the actual value. As an illustration of the great abundance of this inexhaustible element of wealth in our lakes, we would state that it is not uncommon for fishermen to take out of one pound net, in twenty-four hours, over one hundred packages of fish, thus clearing a profit on one haul of seven hundred dollars.

Our great lake fisheries are yet in their infancy and should be encouraged by the State in order to more fully develop them. In our opinion a small State bounty would be more effectual to bring about this result than any other policy. This would enable poor but worthy fishermen, who have not the means to purchase their necessary outfits, to engage in this lucrative calling, and add very materially to the greatness and welfare of our State. In this connection we would also recommend to the favorable consideration of the constitutional convention, to be held the present year, to revise the organic law, the importance of creating the office of State Superintendent of fisheries. He should be a scientific man, whose duty it should be to look after our fisheries, and create a bureau of statistical information. He should also devote a portion of his time to the study and habits of the different varieties of our lake fishes, and embody his investigations and the condition of our fisheries in an annual report to the Legislature. By this

means much valuable information might be gained by the people engaged in this business. It should also be the duty of the fish inspectors to report to the superintendent all fish inspected by them, and the quality, &c. These inspectors should be licensed by the State, and the superintendent should have power to revoke the same on a failure to report quarter-yearly or as he should direct. In this way we would be able to learn the annual yield of the various localities where fishing is carried on, and thereby enable the fishermen to follow the finny tribes to their various places of resort during the fishing season.

We believe this important subject should be duly considered at an early day, not only as a matter of policy, but in justice to the people who have over half a million of capital invested in this business, and which gives employment to five thousand fishermen during the greater portion of the year.

Perhaps it may not be generally known that the principal depot of this, now remunerative trade, is at the island of Mackinaw, in the straits of Michilimackinac. From the earliest settlement of the island by the French, in 1673, to the present time, it has been the fishing depot of the great lakes. No one who has ever visited its beautiful and romantic shores, can doubt but that it is admirably adapted, from its delightful climate, central location and easy accessibility at all times to the innumerable fleet of fish boats that constantly ply to the numerous fishing grounds abounding in its vicinity. It was here the old French *voyageurs*, on their long perilous journeys to the frozen lakes and rivers of the north, in carrying on the fur trade, congregated to replenish their scanty supply of provisions, by catching and preserving large quantities of Mackinaw white fish and salmon trout, now so famed throughout the land, and so highly prized as a rare luxury of the table by citizens from all sections of the union. To these old French settlers of the north-west is mainly due the credit of developing and extending this great source of the national wealth, and their descendants, with a dauntless courage and untiring perseverance, worthy of their fathers are now found foremost in

carrying on this risky and fluctuating business, regardless of personal hardships and danger, braving the fierce gales and dreadful storms of our northern lakes, at nearly all seasons of the year, in their saucy little barks, commanding at once the admiration and delight of all who love the dangers of a life fraught with peril and rare adventure. This, in brief, is a glance at the history of our early fisheries, and judging the future by the past, it is safe to estimate that with wise legislation and proper encouragement, in less than ten years, this branch alone of our national wealth will reach the enormous sum of five millions of dollars. Of course it is impossible to estimate the influence of this great trade in developing and settling up our north-western territory, but judging from the steady tide of emigration coming in from the older States, attracted by our fisheries and mineral wealth, the day is not far distant when the wild and neglected lands of our northern frontier will teem with wealth and civilization, causing the once favorite hunting grounds of the lordly red man to blossom like the rose. Wisdom and sound policy would seem to dictate that we should foster and control the handling of the rich and valuable products of the northern portion of our State; and to do so successfully, it is indispensable that we should, without further delay, furnish transportation at all seasons of the year, for those productions, to the markets of the east, and thus extend the ability of capital and labor in developing our mining, lumbering and fishing interests.

We believe this desirable result can be accomplished by capital judiciously invested in a railroad to the straits of Michilimackinac, where a commerce that now requires the capacity of twenty-five thousand vessels to float it to the markets of the world, awaits its advent. This is a great prize, worthy of the ambition of Michigan and her sons, and we hope the day is not far distant when her young giant grasp will be equal to the achievement of this grand undertaking,—thus will our noble State be entitled to the proud privilege of being what her geographical position entitles her to be, the highway of nations.

The fisheries of Michigan will then furnish the tables of the epicures of the old world as well as the new with the delicious fish to be found only in the deep and pure waters of our inland seas. All of which is respectfully submitted for the favorable consideration of your honorable body.

C. B. FENTON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

The report was ordered printed.

Mr. Jenness moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass House bill No. 379, entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a road to be known as the Tuscola county State road;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Jenness,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Healy, by unanimous consent, presented the following remonstrances:

Remonstrance of David Harrington and 85 others, residents of Washington county, against the repeal of the act organizing said county;

Also, remonstrance of H. N. Macomber and 36 others, residents of Washington county, for the same purpose.

On motion of Mr. Healey,

The remonstrances were laid on the table:

Also, a telegram and affidavit.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

The telegram and affidavit were ordered printed in the journal.

The following is the telegram and affidavit:

NEGAUNEE, March 16, 1867.

To Hon. W. P. HEALY, *Lansing:*

John W. Ray is our foreman at Cliffs location, and leaves our

employ in the spring; has no authority to sign, otherwise than as private individual.

ED. N. KIRK TALCOTT,
Supt. Iron Cliffs Co.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }
Washington County, } ss.

James Harrington, of said county, being duly sworn, says that on the sixth day of March, he signed a paper in favor of the repeal of the law organizing the county of Washington. That he did not want to sign said paper, but that he was forced to do so by being threatened with discharge from his working place by his employers. That he was in the employ of the Cleveland mining company, and that he knows many other men in the employ of the same company who were also obliged to sign said paper against their will, and that he knows of many others who were deceived into signing said paper by being told that it was for the purpose of helping said Washington county, whereas it was for the repeal of the same.

JAMES ^{His} X HARRINGTON.
mark.

Witness to mark, M. H. Crocker, Ed. N. Kirk Talcott.

Subscribed and sworn before me, March 11, 1867.

JOHN MULVEY,
Justice of the Peace.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. White,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. Sweezey in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 460, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated villages, in the counties of Huron and Sanilac, to vote a

tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from Port Austin, in Huron county, to Lexington, in Sanilac county;

2. Senate bill No. 52, entitled

A bill to provide temporary additional compensation to the officers of the State Prison, for the year commencing December 1, A. D. 1866, and for the year commencing December 1, A. D. 1867;

3. Senate bill No. 97, entitled

A bill for the preservation of certain kinds of fish, in the waters of Jackson county;

4. Senate bill No. 129, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 34, of an act entitled an act to re-incorporate the village of Kalamazoo, and to repeal all inconsistent acts or parts of acts, approved March 15, 1861, and to add a new section thereto;

5. Senate bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying a tax in the township of Springfield, county of Oakland, and State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of a debt contracted for the payment of bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

6. Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road, in the counties of Midland, Gladwin and Clare, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon;

7. Senate bill No. 56, entitled

A bill to amend section 2923, of the compiled laws, relative to the examination of claims against estates by judges of probate;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

8. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize school district No. 1, of the city of Marshall, to borrow money;

9. Senate bill No. 133, entitled

A bill ceding to the United States jurisdiction over Fort Wayne, in the county of Wayne;

10. Senate bill No. 101, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act approved Feb. 8, 1855, relative to the qualified voters in school districts, and to repeal section 15 of the primary school law;

11. Senate bill No 127, entitled

A bill to provide for the protection and preservation of fish in certain lakes in the county of Cass;

12. Senate bill No. 134, entitled

A bill to organize certain townships in the county of Newaygo;

13. Senate bill No. 136, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing a State road in the counties of St. Clair and Sanilac, to be called the county line State road;

14. Senate bill No. 132, entitled

A bill to provide a soldiers' permanent home commission, and to define its duties;

15. Senate bill No. 135, entitled

A bill to repeal the charter of the Tecumseh and Dundee plank road company;

16. Senate bill No. 114, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to revise the charter of the city of Adrian, approved March 20, 1865;

17. Senate bill No. 100, entitled

A bill to amend an act to organize union school district of the city of Saginaw, approved March 18, 1865;

18. Senate bill No. 106, entitled

A bill to regulate the weights and marks on casks and packages containing butter;

19. Senate bill No. 173, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act en-

titled an act to incorporate the city of Detroit gas light company;

20. Senate bill No. 4, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 278, of the session laws of 1865, being an act to amend section 821, it being section 89, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers;

21. Senate bill No. 156, entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Midland and Gladwin, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon;

22. Senate bill No. 192, entitled

A bill to authorize the Saginaw salt manufacturing company to carry on the business of lumbering, in connection with the manufacture of salt;

23. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to provide for the imprisonment of persons convicted for violations of the ordinances and by-laws of the village of Saline;

24. Senate bill No. 146, entitled

A bill to organize certain new towns in the county of Osceola, Michigan;

25. Senate bill No. 147, entitled

A bill to attach townships 17, 18, 19 and 20 north, of range 11 west, in the unorganized county of Lake, to the county of Mecosta, for municipal and judicial purposes, and to organize the said towns by the name of Chase;

26. Senate bill No. 178, entitled

A bill to authorize the township board of the township of Orion, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding moneys advanced to pay bounties;

27. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees of the United Presbyterian congregation, of Commerce, Michigan, to sell and convey the real estate of said corporation;

28. Senate bill No. 90, entitled

A bill to amend section 127, of chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 3827, of the compiled laws, relating to the return of executions by constables;

29. Senate bill No. 95, entitled

A bill to amend section 5774, of the compiled laws, relative to neglect or refusal to pay over moneys collected;

30. Senate bill No. 112, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 180, of the compiled laws, entitled "of offenses against the lives and property of individuals;"

31. Senate bill No. 172, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from a point at or near section 18, in town 16 north, of range 14 west, in the county of Newaygo, to section 10, in town 17 north, of range 15 west, in the county of Mason;

32. Senate bill No. 182, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Mason county, Michigan;

33. Senate bill No. 180, entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of books for the State library;

34. Senate bill No. 190, entitled

A bill to amend section 4, of an act entitled an act to establish graded and high schools, approved February 14th, 1859;

35. Senate bill No. 162, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the annual school meeting of school district number 3, of Dryden township, in Lapéer county, for the year 1868;

36. Senate bill No. 182, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to lay out and establish a State road, in the counties of Mecosta, Osceola and Missaukee, and to appropriate certain non-resident-highway taxes thereon, approved February 15th, 1855;

37. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend section 106, of chapter 10, being section

454, of the compiled laws, touching the compensation of county surveyors;

38. Senate bill No. 189, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of chapter 98, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 3926 of the compiled laws, relative to the trials of offenses by justices of the peace;

39. Senate bill No. 188, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a State road from the village of Newaygo, in Newaygo county, to the village of Whitehall, in Muskegon county, to be known as the Newaygo and Whitehall State road;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled joint resolutions:

1. Senate joint resolution No. 6, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief Lieut. Col. John Gordon;

2. Senate joint resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint resolution asking the general government for the substitution of even for odd sections, in the appropriation of lands to aid in the construction of wagon roads;

Have made no amendment thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

JAMES A. SWEEZEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The amendments made to the first seven named bills were concurred in, *in gross*, and the bills were placed on the order of third reading.

The next ten named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The eighteenth named bill was laid on the table.

The next twelve named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The thirty-first and thirty-second named bills were laid on the table.

The last seven named bills and the joint resolutions were placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. W. G. Brown,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the general order,

Mr. McKernan in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 199, entitled

A bill to amend section 5, of chapter 158, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5860 of the compiled laws;

2. Senate bill No. 200, entitled

A bill to amend Sec. 8571 of the compiled laws, being section 118, of chapter 90, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by an act approved March 14, 1863, relative to deeds made under a decree in chancery;

3. Senate bill No. 195, entitled

A bill to repeal section 70, of chapter 172, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 6226, of the compiled laws;

4. Senate bill No. 213, entitled

A bill to legalize the tax-roll of the township of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, for the year 1866;

5. Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the buildings thereof, and erecting other buildings;

6. Senate bill No. 247, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, and to repeal sections 2 and 3, of act No. 192, of session laws of 1865, and amending section 5, of act No. 164, of the laws of 1859;

7. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for manufacturing cheese and other products from milk;

8. Senate bill No. 58, entitled

A bill to authorize the counties, cities, townships and incorporated villages, of the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction and maintenance of wagon roads;

9. Senate bill No. 110, entitled

A bill relative to proof of demands in suit;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, and recommend their passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following entitled bills:

10. Senate bill No. 78, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 70, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2877, of chapter 94, of the compiled laws, entitled "of the administration and distribution of estates of deceased persons;"

11. Senate bill No. 115, entitled

A bill to establish an institution of learning, to be called the Michigan Female College;

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed

their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

JOHN Q. McKERNAN, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first nine named bills were placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

The amendments made to the tenth named bill were concurred in, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading.

● Mr. A. S. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the last named bill.

Mr. Deane demanded the yeas and nays;

The demand was seconded, and the motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | O. C. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Van Vleet, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Wells, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, 45 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Fenton, | Mr. Stevens, |
| Brownell, | Funston, | Sweeney, |
| Camburn, | Grier, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Healy, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Hopkins, | Walker, |
| Crossman, | Huckins, | White, |
| Deane, | E. Spalding, | Wright, |
| Dusseau, | Spence, | Speaker, |
| Emery, | | |

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading.
On motion of Mr. Hopkins,
The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

Lansing, Thursday, March 21, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Spencer.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. Holt asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for to-day.

Mr. Woodward asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for to-day.

Mr. Sweezey asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, until afternoon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. Parmelee: petition of A. F. Whalan, D. S. Pfatt, H. F. Kellogg and 109 others, voters of Hillsdale, asking the passage of a bill amending their village charter ;

Also, petition of L. P. Reynolds, H. E. Whipple and 140 others, for the same purpose;

Also, remonstrance of Henry E. Hewett, H. E. Bixby and 19 others, against the passage of the bill;

Also, remonstrance of J. J. Clark, C. B. Smith and 52 others, for the same purpose.

Referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

By Mr. Warner: petition of Thomas Lewis, Samuel Pitts, Henry E. Benson, Campbell, Owen & Co., D. A. Ross & Co., Dewey, Brady & Co., John Trowbridge & Brother, and 20 others, asking for the passage of the bill, creating a fire commission for the city of Detroit.

On motion of Mr. Warner, .

The petition was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on elections:

The committee on elections, to whom was recommitted House bill No. 469, entitled

A bill to provide additional voting precincts in such townships as may require,

With instructions to so amend it as to make it applicable to the township of Tecumseh, in Lenawee county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, according to instructions, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MOSES B. HOPKINS, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Osborn,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of masonic lodges, approved March 10th, 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Jackson,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, approved February 5, 1859,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,

Mr. Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shettlerly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,

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| Benedict, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | McOutobeen, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Duseau, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Parker, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

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Mr. Brownell, Mr. Corey, Mr. Huckins, 3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 238, entitled

A bill to authorize the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw railroad company to acquire rights of way in certain cases, and granting right of way to said company over the unimproved lands belonging to this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 373, entitled

A bill to dispose of certain lands in Jackson county, bid off by the State for drainage taxes;

Also, the memorial of the board of supervisors of the county of Jackson, asking for the setting aside of certain taxes levied for drainage purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the bill back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on towns and counties:

The committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money, or raise by tax, a sum for making public improvements in said village,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WILLIAM BALL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred a petition

of George W. Littlefield, A. N. Humphrey and 68 others, legal voters of the county of Monroe, asking that the term of office of primary school officers be reduced to one year,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, and recommend that it be laid upon the table.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The petition was laid on the table.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate joint resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint resolution in relation to rolls of honor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHAS. W. DEANE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred so much of the Governor's message as relates to military affairs, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, and also to report that in view of the probability of the speedy passage of the national militia bill, by Congress, it is the opinion of your committee that no action is necessary or advisable, by this House, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHAS. W. DEANE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Kedzie, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table, House bill No. 463, entitled

A bill to provide for re-assessing, assessing and collecting taxes, to pay for certain improvements upon Michigan Avenue and Cedar street, in the city of Lansing, and also to pay the interest which has accrued or may accrue on the sums expended in making such improvements;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to regulate insurance companies and their agents, associations, and partnerships doing business and making insurance upon the life of domestic animals, and against loss by accidents, disease or theft, of such animals, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

S. O. KINGSBURY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize Benjamin Hartwell to build a dam across the Kalamazoo river;

Also, a petition of Benjamin Hartwell and 150 others, praying for the passage of the bill;

Also, petition from O. Bush, and 29 others, for the same purpose,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and have directed me to report the bill back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Randall,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on local taxation:

The committee on local taxation, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 231, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Walton, in Eaton county, to raise money by tax, or to borrow money, to build a gravel road from the village of Olivet, to some point on the Peninsular railroad,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

HENRY H. HOLT, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on local taxation:

The committee on local taxation, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 170, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Allegan and Otsego, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a gravel road from the village of Allegan to the villages of Otsego and Plainwell, in the county of Allegan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

HENRY H. HOLT, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on local taxation:

The committee on local taxation, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize any of the towns and villages in the counties of Sanilac and Lapeer, to vote a tax or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from Lexington, in Sanilac county, to Lapeer, in Lapeer county;

Also, petition of M. Burk, W. W. Anderson and 22 others, praying for the passage of a law for that purpose,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

HENRY H. HOLT, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Huckins,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 107, entitled

A bill relative to judgments in criminal cases;

Also, Senate bill No. 203, entitled

A bill in relation to commercial paper;

Also, Senate bill No. 236, entitled

A bill relative to the imprisonment of defendants in civil suits, in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to

the House, without amendment, and recommend that they do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The several bills were referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

The special committee appointed by the House, to investigate certain charges, preferred against the Hon. Wm. P. Healey, a member of this House, from Marquette county, in a certain document which was distributed among the members thereof, entitled "Reasons why the bill organizing Washington county should be repealed," respectfully report, that in pursuance of the action of your Honorable body, they proceeded to investigate the truth of the charges contained in the document aforesaid, and for that purpose cited the Honorable member from Marquette and the parties purporting to have signed said document, before them for the purpose of examining them on oath as to the truth of the statements therein contained.

And your committee further report, that they confined their investigation to the first and seventh charges contained in the statement aforesaid, more particularly reflecting on the character and integrity of the said Hon. Wm. P. Healy.

Your committee find in reference to the first charge, as a reason why said bill should be repealed, viz: "that it was a fraud in intent and fact, sprung by a treacherous Representative upon the tax-payers and citizens of the district from which said county is set off," that in the estimation of your committee, it is questionable whether an investigation into the motives or intentions of a member of this Honorable body in moving any measure of legislation, should be entertained by your committee, unless upon charges preferred against such member under a resolution for his expulsion.

It seems necessary to the safety and independence of the legislative branch of our government, that the members thereof

should not be amenable to censure by either House, for the exercise, simply, of legislative action on any subject that may be brought before them that would not warrant an expulsion of such party from the same. Whatever may be the motives or intentions of a member in introducing any subject matter of legislation before your honorable body, whether beneficial or otherwise, to his constituents, to them alone, under our system of government, is he directly responsible. They sit in judgment on his acts, and approve or condemn, as they see proper. But, as the Honorable member from Marquette desired an investigation into the charges aforesaid, as a matter of privilege solely, your committee proceeded to investigate the truth thereof, and present for the consideration of the House, the following facts in connection therewith:

From the evidence produced before your committee, bearing on the charge aforesaid, it appears that it was not generally known in the county of Marquette that measures would be taken by the Honorable member representing that county, at the present session of this Legislature, for the division of said county, previous to the meeting of this body. Particularly was this true in reference to the village of Marquette and vicinity. Yet, from the affidavits of several respectable citizens of the village of Negaunee, and from telegrams sent to different members of the Legislature, it clearly appears that the matter of such division was freely canvassed in said village by the citizens thereof; although, probably for ulterior purposes, such parties in said village and vicinity as had interests in the village of Marquette, were not informed of such contemplated movement.

It also appears from the petition heretofore presented by the Honorable member from Marquette to this House, as well as from the accompanying remonstrance of Harrison W. Jackson, E. N. K. Talcott, and 183 others, residents of Washington county, against the repeal of the act organizing said county, that quite a large body of the citizens of the original county of Marquette approved of the action of their said representative in obtaining the organization of said county. It also appears

from the evidence before your committee, that the principal parties opposed to the organization of said new county, outside of the village of Marquette, are the owners, agents or superintendents of mining companies situated within said county, whose interests in most cases are identified with the village of Marquette, and who are therefore opposed, as well as the citizens of Marquette, to a division of said original county. The mining corporations, who are large tax-payers in said new county, it is evident, judge this measure principally from a pecuniary stand-point, measuring the benefits or disadvantages thereof in so many dollars and cents.

While your committee decline to express an opinion on the measure which gave rise to the charges made by the parties aforesaid against the honorable member from Marquette, they are *unanimously* of opinion that the said first charge, so made as aforesaid against the Hon. Wm. P. Healy, is *entirely uncalled for and unwarranted*.

As to the seventh charge contained in said statement, your committee are of opinion that the organization of said new county, can only inure to the benefit and self-aggrandizement of the Hon. Wm. P. Healy, through the free and voluntary action of the electors of the same, and should a majority thereof desire to bestow office and emolument upon the Honorable member from Marquette, (as the parties making said charges anticipate,) your committee certainly have no objection thereto. Our free system of government is founded upon the principle that the majority should rule, and your committee presume that no man imbued with the genuine principles of free government in this enlightened age desires that comparatively a few men of wealth and capital should control the interests of the many. It also appears from the evidence of your committee, that the Honorable member from Marquette, has held many of the local offices in the township of Negaunee, for some years—that he has been elected supervisor, justice of the peace, president of said village, and a member of the school board thereof, previous to his election as a representative to this honorable body. That some

of those who are now pressing these charges against him formerly supported him for said positions, and some even used their influence to procure his nomination for representative from said county of Marquette, to this honorable body, though as they say not really desiring his election.

In regard to the charge made against the Honorable member, of being "an outspoken copperhead during the war," your committee have only to say that they failed to find any direct evidence of disloyalty on the part of the Honorable member, during the eventful period of the late rebellion. Not a single act of disloyalty was sustained by direct and legal proof, as charged against him. The charge that he aided and assisted one Freeman, who was supposed to be drafted, to leave the country, was entirely based upon hearsay evidence—nor did it appear even that said Freeman ever was drafted. The same is true of the charge that the Honorable member belonged to the order of "the Golden Circle."

An attempt was made to prove his disloyalty from voluntary statements made during the progress of the late war. In reference to these, your committee beg leave to say that such statements were entirely too vague and unsatisfactory to convince your committee of the fact sought to be established. No species of evidence is so unsatisfactory, as that, which depends for its truth upon the inferences drawn by parties while under the influence of their passions and prejudices. In times of great excitement, parties frequently use extravagant language that really does not convey their true sentiments, and is often qualified upon subsequent reflection. To condemn a party upon such statements, of so grave a charge as disloyalty, would seem repugnant to the first principles of justice.

The only other charge and the most serious of all is, "that the said Wm. P. Healy, sustained the strikes, riots and bloodshed among the inhabitants of this new county, and as a reward was elected by their votes as a member of this honorable body."

In reference to this charge, the evidence discloses not a single instance in which the Honorable member gave aid to or used his

influence in this direction. Nor has it been shown, even, that he approved of them by anything he said in relation to them. It is true that the Honorable member was a justice of the peace in Negaunee, and it is claimed by some of the witnesses that it was his duty to use his official station in aid of law and order; yet it does not appear that any party interested in putting down these strikes and riots ever applied to him for a criminal process against the strikers or rioters. Had such application been made and refused, there would have been some grounds for this accusation. The Honorable member was a judicial officer, and not ministerial, and could only act officially upon complaint duly made, on oath, before him. It is not, in the opinion of your committee, the duty of a judicial officer to take an active or officious part in any matter that might come before him for trial and adjudication; to do so, would be to degrade his judicial position as an impartial umpire between his fellow citizens. Your committee are of the opinion that the parties making this serious charge against one of their own citizens, entertained an erroneous opinion of the duties required of the Honorable member as a judicial officer in such emergencies, as gathered from the expression of one of the principal witnesses, when testifying that the acts of the Honorable member were acts of omission more than of commission.

The committee have the affidavits of quite a number of the citizens of Negaunee, stating that the Hon. Wm. P. Healy did not aid or assist the strikers or rioters, but expressed his disapproval of their course in every respect. It appears, further, that the Honorable member was nominated as a candidate for the office of Representative for the Marquette district, by a convention composed of respectable citizens of that district, who were opposed to these strikers and rioters. It would therefore seem a reasonable conclusion that if the Honorable member had been in sympathy with the strikers and rioters he would not have received such nomination at their hands.

Your committee are therefore unanimously of opinion that the said charges so made as aforesaid, against the Hon. Wm. P.

Healy, are not sustained by the evidence, and are, in the opinion of your committee, uncalled for and unjustifiable.

Your committee have therefore directed me to report back to the House the evidence taken before them, together with the accompanying documents, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN,

J. S. BARBER,

SETH K. SHETTERLY.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

The report was ordered printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 21, 1867, }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act enlarging the corporate powers and privileges of the first Congregational Society of East Saginaw;

Also,

An act to amend section 2, of act No. 147, of the session laws of 1861, it being an act to amend sections 2014 and 2017 of the compiled laws, in reference to religious societies, so as to authorize the recording of articles of association, and to give trustees, wardens and vestrymen authority to execute securities upon church property in certain cases;

Also,

An act to legalize the tax roll of the village of Parma, in the county of Jackson, for the year 1866;

Also,

An act to provide for the re-survey and re-platting of the village of Lexington;

Also,

An act for the relief of the township of Delta, in the county of Eaton;

Also,

An act to amend section 6179, being section 22, of chapter 202, of compiled laws, relative to the compensation of Inspectors of the State Prison;

Also,

An act to provide for the taxation of improvements upon homestead lands as personal property.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 226, entitled

A bill to change the name of the Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind;

And to inform the House that the Senate has adopted a substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to change the name of the Michigan Asylum for the education of the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. White moved that the House concur in the substitute adopted for the bill by the Senate;

Pending which motion,

Mr. Newcombe moved to amend the substitute by striking out the word "the," where it first occurs in the third line;

Which motion prevailed.

The motion to concur was then agreed to, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Huckins, | Robinson, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Schars, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dussean, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | White, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Haven, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Barber, | Slayton, | Woodman, |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to amend section 2727, of chapter 88, of the compiled laws, relative to the execution and acknowledgment of deeds and conveyances of lands;

Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of suits for a divorce;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bills were read a first and second time by their titles, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 12, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Governor to relinquish the right of the State to certain lands, to the United States;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "office," in line 4, of the resolution, the words, "and whenever also the Flint and Pere Marquette railroad company shall file with the Governor its assent thereto;"

2. By adding at the end of the resolution, the following proviso: " *Provided*, The Governor on an investigation of the facts, is satisfied such release should be made by the State;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Brownell moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the joint resolution by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Scharp, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Van Fleet, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Parker, | White, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | |

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Dussean, | | |

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The joint resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 318, entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take effect on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1867.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 17, entitled

A bill to amend section 3119, of the compiled laws, so as to make certain equitable interests in lands liable to levy and sale on execution;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "be," in the 5th line of section 1, the words, "levied upon and;"

2. By striking out the word "person," in the last line of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "debtor;"

3. By adding to said section the following: "That in case of a levy upon the equitable interest of a judgment debtor, the judgment creditor may, before sale, institute proceedings in aid of said execution, to ascertain and determine the rights and equities of said judgment debtor in the premises so levied upon and that in case of a sale of said premises, without having ascertained and determined the interest of said judgment debtor in the premises so levied upon and sold, he shall, within one year, institute proceedings to ascertain and determine the

same, and to settle the rights of the parties in interest therein;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | C. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McUntcheon, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Schara, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Shepherd, | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 289, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 39, of the compiled laws, in regard to the support of the poor, by adding a new section thereto,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by inserting after the word "sale," in line 5, of section 15, the words, "of any personal property that such pauper may own;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Mason moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. O. C. Smith, |
| Alexander, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Ball, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Barber, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Beall, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Benedict, | Lockwood, | Spence, |
| Boles, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Brownell, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Sweezey, |
| O. R. Brown, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Parker, | White, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |

Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Shetterly,
Slayton,

Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to request the House to return to the Senate, House joint resolution No. 16, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land to L. Alonzo Mallery, of the township of Reading, Michigan.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, submitted the following report:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report to the House, without action, House joint resolution No. 16, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land to L. Alonzo Mallery, of the township of Reading, Michigan,

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. R. B. Smith,

The Clerk was instructed to return the joint resolution to the Senate.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 60, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4985 and 4994, of the compiled laws, being sections 12 and 21, of chapter 150, of said laws, and to add certain new sections to said chapter,

And to inform the House that the Senate has made the following amendments thereto:

1. By striking out the second sub-division of section 12;
2. By striking out all of sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, of said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 2. That sections 16 and 26, of the revised statutes of 1846, being sections 4989 and 4999, of the compiled laws, be amended so as to read as follows:

(4989.) Sec. 16. Upon the return of such summons, if the same be returned duly served and the defendant appear, such defendant may plead not guilty to the complaint; or if he neglect or refuse to plead thereto, such officer shall enter such plea for him, and such issue shall be tried, and said court shall determine if it is allowed that there is a sum of money due, either on rent or as a part or portion of the purchase money of the premises, under an executory contract, the amount so due, and shall specify the amount, and judgment shall be rendered, and the same proceedings shall be had thereon in all respects, and the costs shall be taxed and collected in the same manner as in case of forcible entry or detainer, and with the like effect.

(4999.) Sec. 26. No writ of restitution shall be issued under the provisions of this chapter, in case it is found by the court that the complainant is entitled to the possession of the premises, in consequence of the non-payment of a sum of money, and the defendant shall pay the same with costs within five days after final judgment, and in no case until the expiration of five days after the entry of judgment of restitution; and in

case of an appeal within that time, no writ of restitution shall issue, until such appeal be determined in the circuit court;

3. By striking out of section 21, all after the word "ended," in line 4;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Locke, | O. U. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| Crossman, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Duaseau, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Walker, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Sexton, | Speaker, 66 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Beall, | Mr. A. S. Brown, | Mr. Kingsbury, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | Randall, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | 8 |

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Mr. McKernan, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table the following entitled bills;

1. House bill No. 471, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Houghton;

2. House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill relating to certain bonds issued by the trustees of school district No. 1, of the township of Portage, in the county of Houghton;

3. House bill No. 484, entitled

A bill to amend section 13, of an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, approved Feb. 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved March 16, 1861, approved March 20, 1863;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the several bills,

The first named bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

The bill was amended by striking out the word "Marquette," in section 3, line 18, and inserting the word "Houghton," in lieu thereof; also, by striking out the word "city," in section 51, line 24, and inserting the word "village," in lieu thereof.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,

Mr. Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,

Mr. Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,

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| Crossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | Parker, | Wells, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The second named bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Ball, | Grier, | Randall, |
| Beall, | Haven, | Schars, |
| Boies, | Healy, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | C. C. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jenness, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

Mr. Greenfield,
Jewell,Mr. Slayton,
Stannard,

Mr. Willard,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The last named bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

The bill was amended by striking out the word "two," in line 8, section 1, and inserting the word "one," in lieu thereof, and by adding the following at the end of the bill: "*Provided, Said lands shall be selected in the county of Menominee.*"

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Oamburn
Deane,
Dussean,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,

Mr. Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Howard,
Huckins,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Looke,
Lockwood,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Parmelee,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
White,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,

Mr. J. H. Jones,
Lovell,
Mason,
Mickley,
Murray,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
Stannard,
Warner,

Crossman,
Dunlap,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Newcombe,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
Pearl,
Randall,

Wells,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wright,

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"A bill appropriating State swamp lands to the Manegoe Train Railway Company, to aid in building a train railway, from the mouth of Deer creek, in Menominee county, to the marble quarry, in said county."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Crossman, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 370, entitled

A bill to organize the fifth ward in the city of Lansing;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The following was adopted as a substitute for the bill:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact, That all that part of the city of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, lying east of Grand river, and north of Cedar river, and south of the line dividing sections nine and ten from sections fifteen and sixteen, be and the same hereby is set off from the several wards of said city, into a separate street or highway district, to be known as the fifth highway district; and the common council of said city shall appoint for said fifth highway district, a street inspector, at the same time, in the same manner, with the same powers, and subject to the same control as other street inspectors of said city.*

Sec. 2. All street or highway taxes assessed and collected on the real and personal property of said fifth highway district shall be expended within the limits of said district, without

regard to ward limits of said city, and by or under the control of the street inspector of said district.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Emery, | Mr. R. Jones, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, 6 |

The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to organize the fifth highway district in the city of Lansing.

The title as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. S. T. Parsons, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge

the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of masonic lodges, approved March 10, 1865;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The rules were suspended, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Miles moved to amend the bill by inserting after the word "chapter," wherever it occurs in the bill, the words "commandery of knight templars or council;"

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Randall, |
| Ball, | Haven, | Robinson, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Hill, | Sexton, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dussean, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Woodman, |

Gallup,
Glavin,

F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,

Wright,
Speaker, 75

NAYS.

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The title was amended by adding thereto the following: "and to add a new section thereto."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 457, entitled

A bill making appropriation to build two houses, a kitchen, bakery and laundry, for the State Reform School, and for warming the main building with steam,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,

Mr. Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wright,

Healy,
Hill,

S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Speaker, 71

NAYS.

Mr. A. S. Brown,
Emerson,

Mr. R. Jones,
Warner,

Mr. Wilson,
Woodman, 6

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 461, entitled

A bill to provide for the temporary right of way for the purpose of lumbering,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,

Mr. Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Parmelee,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Schara,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Speaker, 72

NAYS.

Mr. Murray,

Mr. Wright,

2

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 472, entitled

A bill in relation to suits commenced by attachment,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Pearl, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Schara, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Camburn, | Lockwood, | O. O. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Corey, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| Crossman, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | White, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | F. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Hill, | S. T. Parsons, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Sexton, |
| R. Jones, | Newcombe, | |

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"A bill in relation to the examination of witnesses."

The title as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 473, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of St. Joseph,

approved March 7, 1884, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved Feb. 11, 1889,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Pearl, |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Alexander, | Howard, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Huckins, | Schara, |
| Barber, | Jennes, | Sexton, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | C. O. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Corey, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | White, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |
| | NAYS. | 75 |
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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 460, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated villages, in the counties of Huron and Sanilac, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from Port Austin, in Huron county, to Lexington, in Sanilac county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Ohauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Healy,
Hopkins,

Mr. Huckins,
Jenness,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mason,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Scharz,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Jewell,
R. Jones,

Mr. McCutcheon,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
Parmelee,

Mr. Warner,
Wilson,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 468, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Burlington, in the county of Calhoun, to raise money by tax, to pay certain sums advanced by citizens of said township for bounty to volunteers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Brownell,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,

Mr. Healy,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,

Mr. Shepherd,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Swift,

Camburn,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,

Miles,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,

Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Willard,
Wilson,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown.
Crossman,
Fenton,
Hopkins,
Jewell,

Mr. R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
Mason,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Stannard,
White,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Randall,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 301, entitled

A bill to legalize the allowance of certain claims against the township of Springwells, for advances to procure enlistments,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Alexander,
Benedict,
Corey,
Dusseau,
Fenton,
Grier,
Healy,

Mr. Jewell,
Lockwood,
McKernan,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,

Mr. L. Smith,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Wells,
Wilson,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Bojes,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,

Mr. Huckins,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,

Mr. Randall,
Robinson,
Shetterly,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,

| | | |
|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Parmelee, | Speaker |
| Howard, | Pearl, | |

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House bill No. 475, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1135, 1136 and 1137, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 38 of said laws, in reference to the recording of town plats and the vacating of the same,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was amended by striking out of recited section 6, all after the word "road," in line 15, to and including the word "petition," in line 19.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Mead, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Wells, |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| Jenness, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| J. H. Jones, | Slayton, | Speaker, |
| Kedzie, | L. Smith, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Emery, | Mr. S. T. Parsons, |
| Alexander, | Gallup, | Pearl, |
| Ball, | Grier, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Lockwood, | O. C. Smith, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Deane, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Dusseau, | Packard, | 29 |

Mr. Grier moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

Mr. Barber moved to lay the motion on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to reconsider was then agreed to.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | J. H. Jones, | Shatterly, |
| Ball, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Loeke, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | 56 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Newcombe, |
| Brownell, | Emery, | L. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |

Corey,
Deane,

Lockwood,
Mason,

Wilson, . . . 14

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. W. H. Osborn asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Sweezey, until to-morrow.

Mr. Van Vleet asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Rockwood, until to-morrow.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 466, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 3, of act No. 46, of the laws of 1864, approved Feb. 5, 1864, relative to a State road in Gratiot and Isabella counties, approved March 20, 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Crossman,
Dunlap,

Mr. Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spaulding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,

Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Haven,
Healey,

Packard,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Schara,

Wells,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Chauvin,
Corey,
Dusseau,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,

Mr. Mason,
Murray,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
Stannard,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Wright, 21

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Springfield, county of Oakland, and State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of a debt contracted for the payment of bounties to volunteers to aid in suppressing the rebellion,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Haven,

Mr. J. H. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Robinson,

Mr. O. C. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Warner,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,

Hill,
Howard,
Jenness,

Schars,
Shepherd,
Slayton,

Woodman,
Speaker,

56

NAYS.

Mr. Alexander,
Benedict,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dussean,
Fenton,

Mr. Healy,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Parker,

Mr. Pearl,
Randall,
Sexton,
Shetterly,
Wells,
Wright,

20

Title agreed to.

Mr. A. S. Brown moved that there be a call of the House;
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

Pending the calling of the roll,

On motion of Mr. Barber,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.
Senate bill No. 56, entitled

A bill to amend section 2923, of the compiled laws, relative
to the examination of claims against estates by judges of
probate,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the mem-
bers elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,

Mr. Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickleby,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,

Mr. Shepherd,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,

| | | | |
|----------|-----------|----------|----|
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | White, | |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Wilcox, | |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Willard, | |
| Hill, | Schars, | Woodman, | |
| Howard, | Sexton, | Speaker, | 66 |

NAYS.

| | | | |
|---------------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Wright, | |
| Dusseau, | Shetterly, | | 5 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend section 106, of chapter 10, being section 454, of the compiled laws, touching the compensation of county surveyors,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | McKernan, | Spance, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Crossman, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Deane, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Emery, | Parmelee, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | White, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Willard, |
| Hill, | Sexton, | Woodman, |
| Howard, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | | |

NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Benedict,
Dusseau,

Mr. R. Jones,
Locke,

Mr. Shetterly,
Wright,

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 162, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the annual school meeting of school district No. 8, of Dryden township, in Lapeer county, for the year 1863,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Glavin,
Heally,
Hill,
Howard,

Mr. Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,

Mr. Shepherd,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodman,
Speaker,

66

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Dusseau,

Mr. R. Jones,
Shetterly,

Mr. Wright,

5

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Emery,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 190, entitled

A bill to amend section 4, of an act entitled "an act to establish graded and high schools," approved February 14, 1859,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jennese, | L. Smith, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| Beall, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Deane, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Emery, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Sohars, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Shepherd, | Speaker, 66 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Dusseau, | | 5 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 180, entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of books for the State Library,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mickle, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Parmelee, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | White, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wilcox, |
| Hill, | Schars, | Willard, |
| Howard, | Sexton, | Speaker, 66 |

[NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Dusseau, | Locke, | Wright, 6 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 112, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 180, of the compiled laws, entitled "of offenses against the lives and property of individuals,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |

Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Glavin,
Healy,
Hill,
Howard,

Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,

E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Fleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker, 66

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Dusseau,

Mr. R. Jones,
Shetterly,

Wright, 5

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 189, entitled

A bill to amend section 8, of chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 3926 of the compiled laws, relative to the trials of offenses by justices of the peace,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,

Mr. Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,

Sexton,
Mr. Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|------------|
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Deane, . | Newell, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Parker, | White, |
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

67

NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Wright, |
| Dusseau, | Shetterly, | |

5

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Detroit and Lake St. Clair plank road company,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Chauvin moved to amend the bill, by striking out from section 4, all after the word "that," in line 21, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following: "this act shall not in any way affect the rights and privileges of the inhabitants of the townships of Hamtramck and Grosse Point, which they had under the act to which this is amendatory, except on loads exceeding three thousand pounds;"

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Sexton,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on banks and incorporations, with instructions to amend the bill as proposed.

The committee on banks and incorporations submitted the following report:

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was recommitted House bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Detroit and Lake St. Clair plank road company,

With instructions to amend the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, amended according to the instructions of the House recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Schars, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Packard, | White, |
| Fellows, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|--------------|-------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Stevens, | Mr. Wright, |
| Slayton, | Tompkins | |

5

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 95, entitled

A bill to amend section 5774, of the compiled laws, relative to neglect or refusal to pay over moneys collected,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | G. O. Smith, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Barber | R. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Beall, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickly, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Corey, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Crossman, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Deane, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Dunlap, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees of the United Presbyterian congregation of Commerce, Michigan, to sell and convey the real estate of said corporation,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | O. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Deane, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

64

NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. E. Spalding,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 147, entitled

A bill to attach townships 17, 18, 19 and 20 north, of range 11 west, in the unorganized county of Lake, to the county of Mecosta, for municipal and judicial purposes, and to organize the said towns by the name of Chase,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |

A. S. Brown,
 O. R. Brown,
 W. G. Brown,
 Canniff,
 Camburn,
 Chauvin,
 Corey,
 Crossman,
 Deane,
 Dunlap,
 Eck,
 Emery,
 Haven,
 Healy,
 Hill,
 Howard,

Lovell,
 Mason,
 McCutcheon,
 Mickley,
 Murray,
 Newcombe,
 Newell,
 L. D. Osborn,
 W. H. Osborn,
 Packard,
 Parker,
 F. Parsons,
 Parmelee,
 Randall,
 Robinson,
 Schars,

P. S. Spaulding,
 Spence,
 Stannard,
 Stevens,
 Swift,
 Taylor,
 Tompkins,
 Upton,
 Walker,
 Warner,
 White,
 Wilcox,
 Willard,
 Wilson,
 Wright,
 Speaker,

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0

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 146, entitled

A bill to organize certain new towns in the county of Osceola, Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
 Alexander,
 Ball,
 Barber,
 Beall,
 Boies,
 A. S. Brown,
 O. R. Brown,
 W. G. Brown,
 Canniff,
 Camburn,
 Chauvin,
 Corey,
 Crossman,
 Deane,
 Dunlap,

Mr. Jenness,
 Jewell,
 J. H. Jones,
 R. Jones,
 Locke,
 Lovell,
 Mason,
 McCutcheon,
 Mickley,
 Murray,
 Newcombe,
 Newell,
 L. D. Osborn,
 W. H. Osborn,
 Packard,
 Parker,

Mr. Shepherd,
 Shetterly,
 O. O. Smith,
 L. Smith,
 E. Spalding,
 P. S. Spaulding,
 Spence,
 Stannard,
 Stevens,
 Swift,
 Taylor,
 Tompkins,
 Upton,
 Walker,
 Warner,
 White,

| | | | |
|----------|-------------|----------|----|
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, | |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Willard, | |
| Healy, | Randall, | Wilson, | |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Howard, | Schars, | Speaker, | 65 |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | | 0 |
| | NAYS. | | |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 192, entitled

A bill to authorize the Saginaw Salt Manufacturing Company to carry on the business of lumbering, in connection with the manufacture of salt,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | J. H. Jones, | C. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Newcombe, | Taylor |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Deane, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

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NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 90, entitled

A bill to amend section 127, of chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 8827, of the compiled laws, relating to the return of executions by constables,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| Barber, | B. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| O. B. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Deane, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

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NAYS.

Title agreed to.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize union school district No. 1, of the city of Marshall, to borrow money,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Ball, | Jewell, | C. C. Smith, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Deane, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Schara, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Sexton, | Speaker, 63 |

NAYS.

Mr. Huckins,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Randall,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 178, entitled

A bill to authorize the township board of the township of Orion, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding moneys advanced to pay bounties.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Locke, | Mr. C. C. Smith, |
| Alexander, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| Ball, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Barber, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Boies, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | Van Fleet, |

| | | | |
|--------------|------------|----------|----|
| Fellows, | Parmelee, | Walker, | |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Wells, | |
| Haven, | Randall, | White, | |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wilcox, | |
| Hill, | Schars, | Willard, | |
| Howard, | Shepherd, | Wilson, | |
| Jenness, | Shetterly, | Wright, | |
| J. H. Jones, | Slayton, | Speaker, | 57 |

NAYS.

| | | | |
|------------------|--------------|-------------|---|
| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. Emerson, | Mr. Murray, | |
| Deane, | Huckins, | Newell, | |
| Dusseau, | Jewell, | | 8 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 188, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a State road from the village of Newaygo, in Newaygo county, to the village of Whitehall, in Muskegon county, to be known as the Newaygo and Whitehall State road,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Ball,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 156, entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Midland and Gladwin, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 182, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to lay out and establish a State road, in the counties of Mecosta, Osceola and Missaukee, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon, approved February 15th, 1865,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Ball,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road, in the counties of Midland, Gladwin and Clare, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Locke,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 136, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing a State road in the counties of St. Clair and Sanilac, to be called the county line State road,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Camburn,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 100, entitled

A bill to amend an act to organize union school district of the city of Saginaw, approved March 18, 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dussseau,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Haven,
Healy,

Mr. Jenness,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Fleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,

Hill,
Howard,
Huckins,

Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Woodman,
Speaker,

NAYS.

Mr. Willard,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 114, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to revise the charter of the city of Adrian, approved March 20, 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,

Mr. R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Willard,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Osborn,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate No. 185, entitled

A bill to repeal the charter of the Tecumseh and Dundee plank road company,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Kingsbury, | O. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Dussean, | Parker, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | F. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Jennas, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Willard,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 184, entitled

A bill to organize certain townships in the county of Newaygo,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Kingsbury, | C. C. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Parker, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | F. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Willard,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deane,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 133, entitled

A bill ceding to the United States jurisdiction over Fort Wayne, in the county of Wayne,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Locke, | C. C. Smith, |
| Barber, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Boies, | Mason, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Miles, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | L. D. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | F. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | S. T. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Wells, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | White, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Huckins, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Jenness, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| R. Jones, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr Willard,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 127, entitled

A bill to provide for the protection and preservation of fish in certain lakes, in the county of Cass,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Locke, | C. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Mason, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Miles, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | L. D. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Taylor, |

Grossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
R. Jones,

Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

Senate joint resolution No. 6, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief Lieut. Col. John Gordon,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barber,
O. R. Brown,
Chauvin,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eek,
Haven,
Healy,

Mr. Hill,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
Kingsbury,
McKernan,
Murray,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Mr. Schars,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
Taylor,
Upton,
Warner,
Wilcox,
Willard,

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NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Crossman,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Grier,
Huckins,

Mr. Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
S. T. Parsons,
Pearl,

Mr. Shetterly,
O. C. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Wilson,

| | | | |
|--------------|-----------|----------|----|
| J. H. Jones, | Robinson, | Woodman, | |
| R. Jones, | Sexton, | Wright, | |
| Kedzie, | Shepherd, | Speaker, | 51 |

Senate bill No. 218, entitled

A bill to legalize the tax roll of the township of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, for the year 1866,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | | |
|--------------|----------------|---------------|----|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, | |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shetterly, | |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, | |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | O. C. Smith, | |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, | |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury | R. B. Smith, | |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, | |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, | |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stannard, | |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stevens, | |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, | |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, | |
| Deane, | Miles, | Tompkins, | |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, | |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, | |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, | |
| Emery, | Packard, | White, | |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, | |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, | |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Wilson, | |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Woodman, | |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Hopkins, | Schar, | Speaker, | |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | | 71 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------|---|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Newell, | 2 |
|-----------|-------------|---|

Title agreed to.

On motion of Jenness,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 129, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 23, of an act entitled an act to re-incorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all

inconsistent acts or parts of acts, approved March 15, 1861, and to add a new section thereto,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Grossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Packard, | White, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | |

71

NAYS.

Mr. Newell,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mason,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 110, entitled

A bill relative to proof of demands in suit,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Jenness, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------|---|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Newell, | 2 |
|-----------|-------------|---|

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 199, entitled

A bill to amend section 5, of chapter 158, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5860 of the compiled laws,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Corey, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Tompkins, |

Dusseau,
Emerson,
Funston,
Grier,
Healy,
Hill,

Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
S. T. Parsons,
Pearl,
Sohars,
Sexton,

Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
White,
Wilson,
Wright,

36

NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Howard,
Huckins,

Mr. Jenness,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
Mickley,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Mr. Randall,
Robinson,
Shepherd,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Taylor,
Warner,
Wells,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Speaker,

43

Senate bill No. 200, entitled

A bill to amend section 3571 of the compiled laws, being section 118, of chapter 90, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by an act approved March 14, 1863, relative to deeds made under a decree in chancery,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,

Mr. Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,

| | | |
|----------|----------------|------------|
| Dusseau, | L.D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Jennesa, | | |

70

NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------|---|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Newell, | 2 |
|-----------|-------------|---|

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 195, entitled

A bill to repeal section 70, of chapter 172, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 6226, of the compiled laws,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | | |
|------------------|---------------|------------|---|
| Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Robinson, | Mr. Upton, | 5 |
| Newell, | Slayton, | | |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Van Vleet, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |

Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,

Parmelee,
Randall,

Wright,
Speaker,

67

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to provide for the imprisonment of persons convicted for violations of the ordinances and by-laws of the village of Saline,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Oanniff,
Oamburn,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,

Mr. Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,

Mr. Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Swift,
Taylor,
Upton,
Warner,
White,
Willard,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

64

NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Benedict,
Chauvin,

Mr. Dusseau,
Huckins,

Mr. Kedzie,
Wilson,

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 178, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act enti-

tioned an act to incorporate the city of Detroit gas light company,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | O. O. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | L. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | E. Spalding, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Parker, | White, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

64

NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Spence, |
| Dusseau, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Huckins, | | |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Spence,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 132, entitled

A bill to provide for a soldiers' permanent home commission, and to define its duties,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,

Mr. Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Swift,
Taylor,
Upton,
Warner,
White,
Willard,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

67

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,

Mr. Dusseau,

Mr. Wilson,

3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the buildings thereof, and erecting other buildings,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. White moved to amend the bill, by striking out of section 2, lines 3 and 4, the words, "incorporated in the State tax, and levied and collected in addition to all other taxes provided by law for said year, and when collected shall be," and inserting

the following: "Transferred from the swamp land interest fund, and," in lieu thereof; and by striking out of section 3, lines 7, 8 and 9, the following: "incorporated in the State tax for the year eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and levied and collected in addition to all other taxes provided for by law for said year, and when so collected, shall be," and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "Transferred from the swamp land interest fund, and;"

Pending which motion,

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was referred to the committee on the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, and the committee on ways and means, jointly.

Senate bill No. 101, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act approved February 8, 1855, relative to qualified voters in school districts, and to repeal section 15, of the primary school law,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Randall, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Robinson, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Schars, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kingsbury, | O. O. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |

Haven,
Healy,

S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Wright,
Speaker, 69

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Dusseau,

Mr. Shetterly,

Mr. Wilson, 4

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 97, entitled

A bill for the preservation of certain kinds of fish, in the waters of Jackson county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Grier,
Haven,

Mr. Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Parmelee,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Taylor,
Upton,
Warner,
White,
Willard,
Woodman,
Speaker, 60

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
W. G. Brown,
Dusseau,
Huckins,

Mr. Kedzie,
Locke,
Randall,
R. B. Smith,

Mr. Swift,
Wilson,
Wright, 11

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take effect on the first day of April, 1867.

Senate bill No. 58, entitled

A bill to authorize the counties, cities, townships and incorporated villages, of the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction and maintenance of wagon roads,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Gallup, | Mr. S. T. Parsons, |
| Alexander, | Glavin, | Parmelee, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Pearl, |
| Barber, | Hill, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Parker, | Speaker, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|-------------|------------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. C. C. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Spence, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Van Fleet, |
| Haven, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Jenness, | Randall, | White, |
| J. H. Jones, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| R. Jones, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Lockwood, | Shepherd, | |

82

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 78, entitled

Haven,
Healy,

S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Wright,
Speaker, 69

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Dusseau,

Mr. Shetterly,

Mr. Wilson,
4

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 97, entitled

A bill for the preservation of certain kinds of fish, in the waters of Jackson county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Grier,
Haven,

Mr. Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Parmelee,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Taylor,
Upton,
Warner,
White,
Willard,
Woodman,
Speaker, 60

NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
W. G. Brown,
Dusseau,
Huckins,

Mr. Kedzie,
Locke,
Randall,
R. B. Smith,

Mr. Swift,
Wilson,
Wright,
11

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take effect on the first day of April, 1887.

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Shephard, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Locke, | Slayton, |
| Barber, | Lovell, | C. O. Smith, |
| Beall, | Mason, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | McCutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | McKernan, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Spence, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Healey, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Hopkins, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Howard, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Jenness, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Jewell, | Scharz, | Speaker, |
| R. Jones, | | |

70

NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Camburn, | Mr. Dusean, |
| Corey, | | |

4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 469, entitled

A bill to provide for additional voting precincts, in such townships as may require them,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Scharz, |
| Alexander, | Kedzie, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Locke, | Slayton, |

Beall,
Boies,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Grier,
Healy,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,

O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Camburn,

Mr. Corey,

Mr. Duasean,

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. W. H. Osborn,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"A bill to provide for additional voting precincts in the township of Tecumseh."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Osborn,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 247, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, and to repeal sections 2 and 8, of act No. 192, of session laws of 1865, and amending section 5, of act No. 164, of the laws of 1859,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,

Mr. Jewell,
J. H. Jones,

Mr. Randall,
Robinson,

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| Ball, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Kedsie, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | White, |
| Glaavin, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Hopkins, | Parmalee, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Jenness, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Wilson,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 52, entitled

A bill to provide additional compensation to the officers of the State Prison, for the year commencing December first, A. D. 1866, and for the year commencing December first, A. D. 1867,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. C. C. Smith, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| Ball, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Barber, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Beall, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | McKernan, | Stevens, |

W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Cumburn,
Corey,
Deane,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Haven,
Healy,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborne,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,

Sweezy,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
A. S. Brown,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Glavin,
Hopkins,

Mr. R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Mickley,
Parker,
Parmelee,

Mr. Randall,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Swift,
Willard,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton;

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The committee on public lands, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Joint resolution restoring certain swamp lands in the Upper Peninsula to market for sale,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The rules were suspended, and the joint resolution was placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Crossman,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, submitted the following report:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills:

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of East Saginaw, approved February 15, 1859, as amended by acts No. 56, of session laws of 1861, approved February 20, 1861, and No. 79, of session laws of 1865, approved March 1, 1865;

Also,

A bill to enable any of the townships and cities, in the counties of Cass, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo and Calhoun, to aid in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the Indiana State line, in the township of Porter, in Cass county, by way of Constantine and Three Rivers, to the city of Battle Creek;

Also,

A bill to authorize any of the townships and cities on a proposed line from the city of Lansing, by way of St. Johns, in Clinton county, and Ithaca, in Gratiot county, to some point north to intersect with the Flint and Pere Marquette railroad, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for laying out, establishing and improving a road from Muskegon lake to the north line of Mason county, and to appropriate swamp lands therefor,

Also,

A bill to authorize the several townships in the counties of Bay and Saginaw, to pledge their credit, and to raise by tax or borrow money, to aid in the construction of the Bay City and East Saginaw railroad;

Also,

A bill to authorize the township board of the township of Eagle Harbor, in Keweenaw county, to raise money by tax or otherwise, to deepen and improve the channel at the entrance of Eagle Harbor;

Also,

A bill to authorize the city of Lansing, and any of the cities, incorporated villages or townships, in the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Clinton, Shiawassee and Livingston, to raise by tax and donate money to the Central Michigan Agricultural Society, at Lansing;

Also,

A bill to authorize any of the townships or municipalities, in the counties of Wayne, Macomb, Lapeer, Tuscola, Saginaw and Bay, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from or near the junction of the Detroit and Milwaukee and Grand Trunk Junction railways, in the county of Wayne, northerly, through said counties, to Bay City, in the county of Bay;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Berrien Springs, Berrien county, Michigan;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers, approved February 13, 1855;

Also,

A bill to allow defendants in actions in courts of record to make an offer of judgment in certain cases;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 244, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 11, of the act entitled an act to define the powers and duties of the board of supervisors of the several counties, and to confer upon them certain local, administrative and legislative powers, approved April 8th, 1851, and being section 345 of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 1, 8, 9, 10 and 12, of an act entitled an act to incorporate a board of education for the city of East Saginaw, approved February 15, 1859, and to repeal sections one and two, of act No. 5, of the session laws of 1862, approved January 14, 1862;

Also,

A bill to authorize any of the townships and incorporated villages, in the counties of Gratiot and Clinton, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a plank road from St. Louis, or Alma, to the village of St. Johns, in Clinton county;

Also,

A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing a State road from Olio, in Genesee county, to Chesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate swamp lands and certain non-resident highway taxes, to aid in the construction of the same;

Also,

A bill to revise the charter of the village of Hastings;

Also,

A bill to authorize townships and cities, in the counties of Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Jackson, by way of the villages of Addison and Hudson, and the township of Medina, to some point in Ohio, connecting with the Atlantic and Great Western railroad, or to some intermediate point;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 301, of the session laws of 1865, being an act entitled an act to regulate the tolls on plank roads in Bay, Clinton, Gratiot and Saginaw counties;

Also,

A bill to fix the boundaries of Bay City;

Also,

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities in the counties of Berrien and Cass to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, in township eight south, range seventeen west, in said Berrien county, or in township eight south, range sixteen west, in said county of Cass.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

SPECIAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The House went into committee of the whole, on the special order,

Mr. Holt in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through the chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 467, entitled

A bill to repeal an act entitled an act to organize the county of Washington;

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and have directed their chairman to report that fact to the House, asking concurrence therein.

HENRY H. HOLT, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Healy moved that the House concur in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the bill.

Mr. Walker moved that the House adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

The question recurring on the motion of Mr. Healy, to con-
cur in striking out all after the enacting clause of the bill,

The motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Parker, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | F. Parsons, |
| Barber, | Hill, | S. T. Parsons, |
| Beall, | Holt, | Pearl, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Rockwood, |
| Bonine, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Canniff, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Camburn, | J. H. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| Corey, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Deane, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Dussean, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Emerson, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Fenton, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Wright, 51 |

NAYS.

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|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Haven, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Sweezy, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Speaker, 29 |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | |

Mr. Slayton moved to reconsider the vote by which the
House concurred in the action of the committee;

On motion of Mr. Fenton,

The motion was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

The enacting clause was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

Lansing, Friday, March 22, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Spencer.

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. Spence: petition of Z. R. Brockway, Mark Flanigan, Dr. H. Keiser, John V. Mehling, Henry Webber, E. W. Meddaugh and 125 others, residents of the sixth ward of the city of Detroit, asking the passage of the bill creating a fire commission for the city of Detroit.

On motion of Mr. Spence,

The petition was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, and ways and means, jointly:

The committee on the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, and ways and means, jointly, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 248, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the west wing thereof, and erecting other buildings,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

THOMAS WHITE,

Ch'n Com. Asy'm for Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind.

W. S. WILCOX,

Chairman Committee on Ways and Means.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jenness,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Mr. Newcombe moved to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee;

Pending which motion,

Mr. Mead demanded the previous question.

The demand was not seconded.

Mr. Alexander demanded the yeas and nays, on the motion to reconsider.

The demand was seconded, and the motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Mr. Chauvin, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Kedzie, |
| Corey, | Grier, | Lockwood, |
| Crossman, | Healy, | McKernan, |
| Deane, | Holt, | Newcombe, |
| Dusseau, | Hopkins, | L. Smith, |
| Emerson, | Huckins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Emery, | Jewell, | Warner, |
| Funston, | R. Jones, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. C. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| Barber, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Beall, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Benedict, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Boies, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Bonine, | L. D. Osborn, | Sweezey, |
| A. S. Brown, | W. H. Osborn, | Swift, |
| C. R. Brown, | Packard, | Taylor, |
| W. G. Brown, | Parker, | Tompkins, |
| Canniff, | F. Parsons, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | S. T. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | White, |
| Fenton, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| Hill, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Howard, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Jenness, | Shepherd, | Wright, |

J. H. Jones,
Kingsbury,

Shetterly,
Slayton,

Speaker,

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The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,

Mr. Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kedsie,
Kingsbury,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
Mead,
Miskley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Deane,
Emerson,
Emery,
Gallup,
Greenfield,

Mr. Grier,
Holt,
Huckins,
R. Jones,
Lockwood,

Mr. McKernan,
Sexton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
Wilson,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gallup,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on ways and means:

The committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of certain deputy State officers and clerks,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. S. WILCOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on ways and means:

The committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 186, entitled

A bill making appropriations for salaries of State officers for the years 1867 and 1868, and for the pay of the members and officers of the Constitutional Convention, to be held in the year 1867, and the expenses incident thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. WILCOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Miskley,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on bounties:

The committee on bounties, to whom was referred

A bill to legalize the action of the township of Fabius, St. Joseph county, in raising money for bounty purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under con-

sideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. R. BROWN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jenness,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to amend sections 1, 8, 9, 10 and 12, of an act, entitled an act to incorporate a board of education for the city of East Saginaw, approved February 15, 1859, and to repeal sections 1 and 2, of act No. 5, of the session laws of 1862, approved January 14, 1862;

Also,

An act to provide for the laying out and establishing a State road from Olio, in Genesee county, to Chesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes to aid in the construction of the same;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 244, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 11, of the act entitled "an act to define the powers and duties of the boards of supervisors of the several counties, and to confer upon them certain local, administrative and legislative powers, approved April 8, 1851, and being section 345, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Berrien Springs, Berrien county, Michigan;

Also,

An act to authorize the township board of the township of Eagle Harbor, in Keweenaw county, to raise money by tax or otherwise, to deepen and improve the channel at the entrance of Eagle Harbor;

Also,

An act to revise the charter of the village of Hastings;

Also,

An act to allow defendants in actions in courts of record to make an offer of judgment in certain cases;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers, approved February 13, 1855;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of East Saginaw, approved February 15, 1859, as amended by acts number 56, of session laws of 1861, approved February 20, 1861, and number 79, of session laws of 1865, approved March 1, 1865;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for laying out, establishing and improving a road from Muskegon Lake, to the north line of Mason county, and to appropriate swamp lands therefor;

Also,

An act to fix the boundaries of Bay city;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 301, of the session laws of 1865, being an act entitled an act to regulate the tolls on plank roads in Bay, Clinton, Gratiot and Saginaw counties;

Also,

An act to authorize the city of Lansing, and any of the cities, incorporated villages or townships in the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Clinton, Shiawassee and Livingston, to raise by tax and donate money to the Central Michigan Agricultural Society, at Lansing.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 27, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives :

I am prepared to submit a nomination to the joint convention of the two Houses, whenever it shall suit their convenience to meet for that purpose.

HENRY H. ORAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I herewith respectfully return to the House, through you, the following bills, without my approval:

First. An act to authorize townships and cities, in the counties of Wayne, Oakland, Washtenaw, Livingston and Ingham, to loan money or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad, on the most direct and feasible route, from the city of Detroit to the city of Lansing;

Second. An act to authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated villages, in the counties of Saginaw and Gratiot, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank or gravel road, from Saginaw, to St. Louis and Alma, in Gratiot county;

Third. An act to authorize any of the townships or municipalities, in the counties of Wayne, Macomb, Lapeer, Tuscola, Saginaw and Bay, to pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad, from or near the junction of the Detroit and Milwaukee and Grand Trunk Junction railways, in the county of Wayne, northerly, through said counties, to Bay City, in the county of Bay;

Fourth. An act to authorize the several townships in the counties of Bay and Saginaw, to pledge their credit, and to raise by tax or borrow money, to aid in the construction of the Bay City and East Saginaw railroad;

Fifth. An act to authorize the several townships in the county of Berrien, to pledge their credit, and raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the construction of a railroad, commencing at the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, and from thence to some point on the Indiana State line, west of township 8 south, of range 19 west, in said county of Berrien;

Sixth. An act to authorize townships and cities, in the counties of Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Jackson, by way of the villages of Addison and Hudson, and the township of Medina, to some point in Ohio, connecting with the Atlantic and Great Western railroad, or to some intermediate point;

Seventh. An act to authorize Midland county to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Midland and Bay City plank road;

Eighth. An act to enable any of the townships and cities in the counties of Cass, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo and Calhoun, to aid in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the Indiana State line, in the township of Porter, in Cass county, by way of Constantine and Three Rivers, to the city of Battle Creek;

Ninth. An act to authorize any of the townships or cities on a proposed line from the city of Lansing, by way of St. Johns, in Clinton county, and Ithaca, in Gratiot county, to some point north, to intersect with the Flint and Pere Marquette railroad, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad;

Tenth. An act to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities in the counties of Saginaw, Bay, Tuscola, Gratiot and Shiawassee, to aid in the construction of wagon roads in said counties;

Eleventh. An act to authorize any of the townships, cities and villages of the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Jackson, Cal-

houn, Hillsdale and Branch, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of the Northern Central Michigan railroad;

Twelfth. An act to authorize any of the townships and incorporated villages, in the counties of Gratiot and Clinton, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from St. Louis, to the village of St. Johns, in Clinton county;

Thirteenth. An act to authorize the several townships and cities, in the counties of Berrien and Cass to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, in township 8 south, of range 17 west, in said Berrien county, or in township 8 south, of range 16 west, in said county of Cass.

I am constrained to return these bills, because I believe the legislation they propose is not only wrong in principle, but is unwarranted, at least, by the spirit and manifest intent of the Constitution, if not positively unconstitutional, because it is o the most mischievous tendency, and is calculated, in its effect, to destroy the credit of the State—to inflict a severe injury upon all its industrial interests—to retard its growth and prosperity—to entail upon it the evils of repudiation—to prevent immigration, and, finally, to defeat the very ends which it seeks to secure; and, I may also add, because it opens the door whereby the right of the minority may be destroyed by an arbitrary majority,—to prevent the chances of which is not only the duty of the Executive, but of the Legislature.

These objections are more fully stated in my communications to the Senate, dated Feb. 5th and 25th, 1867, and to which I would most respectfully refer you. Although some of the specific provisions, in a portion of these bills, may vary in a few trifling particulars from those then returned, yet they are all of the same general character, and subject to similar objections.

In returning these bills for your re-consideration, permit me to say that this course is not prompted by any disposition to

annoy the Legislature with the repetition of my own views, nor to delay or embarrass the business of the session. But firmly convinced, as I am, of the evils which will result to our people from this legislation, I am not willing to appear to yield an assent to it, nor to leave my position in doubt, or open to misconstruction.

It is in no spirit of dictation or willful persistence, that I offer these objections, but regarding it as a matter of simple justice, I desire that the record shall state, without equivocation, the sentiments I entertain upon this most important subject.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

Mr. Kedzie moved to reconsider the votes by which the several bills were passed;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the first named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize townships and cities, in the counties of Wayne, Oakland, Washtenaw, Livingston and Ingham, to loan money or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad, on the most direct and feasible route, from the city of Detroit to the city of Lansing,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Mead,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the the third named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships or municipalities, in the counties of Wayne, Macomb, Lapeer, Tuscola, Saginaw and Bay, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from or near the junction of the Detroit and Milwaukee and Grand Trunk Junction railways, in the county of Wayne, northerly, through said counties, to Bay City, in the county of Bay,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Mead,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the fourth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships in the counties of Bay and Saginaw, to pledge their credit, and to raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the construction of the Bay City and East Saginaw railroad,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Grier,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the fifth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships in the county of Berrien to pledge their credit, and raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the construction of a railroad, commencing at the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, and from thence to some point on the Indiana State line, west of township 8 south, of range 19 west, in said county of Berrien,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the sixth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize townships and cities in the counties of Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Jackson, by way of the villages of Addison and Hudson, and the township of Medina, to some point in Ohio, connecting with the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad, or to some intermediate point,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the eighth named bill, entitled

A bill to enable any of the townships and cities in the counties of Cass, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo and Calhoun, to aid in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the Indiana State line, in the township of Porter, in Cass county, by way of Constantine and Three Rivers, to the city of Battle Creek,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. F. Parsons,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the ninth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships or cities on a proposed line from the city of Lansing, by way of St. Johns, in Clinton county, and Ithaca, in Gratiot county, to some point north, to intersect with the Flint and Pere Marquette railroad, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the eleventh named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships, cities and villages, of the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Jackson, Calhoun, Hillsdale and Branch, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of the Northern Central Michigan railroad,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Tompkins,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the thirteenth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities, in the

counties of Berrien and Cass, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, in township 8 south, of range 17 west, in said Berrien county or in township 8 south, of range 16 west, in said county of Cass,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Bonine,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of the second named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated villages, in the counties of Saginaw and Gratiot, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank or gravel road from Saginaw to St. Louis and Alma, in Gratiot county,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

Mr. L. Smith moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. C. R. Brown moved that the House adjourn for one hour;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. L. Smith moved that the bill be made the special order for 7½ o'clock, this evening;

Which motion was withdrawn.

Mr. Grier moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and Messrs. Camburn and Hopkins were reported absent without leave.

Mr. Stannard asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Camburn, on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Barber,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with,

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill, the ob-

jections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding.

The bill was passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Schars, |
| Ball, | Hill, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Sweeney, |
| Dussseau, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | White, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Spence, |
| Boies, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Walker, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Warner, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Holt, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| J. H. Jones, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |
| Kingsbury, | Robinson, | |

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The question being upon the passage of the seventh named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize Midland county, to issue bonds, to aid in the construction of the Midland and Bay City plank road,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

Mr. Grier moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and Mr. Ball was reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. Emery,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

Mr. Woodman moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion prevailed.

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill, the objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

The bill was passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healey, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Sohara, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | O. C. Smith, |
| Camburn, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Corey, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Crossman, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |
| Dussean, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | White, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Willcox, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |

Grier,
Haven,

Pearl,
Randall,

Wilson,
Wright, 72

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Eck,
Holt,
J. H. Jones,

Mr. Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mickley,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
Parmelee,
Robinson,

Mr. Spence,
Stannard,
Walker,
Wells,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker, 23

The question being upon the passage of the tenth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Saginaw, Bay, Tuscola, Gratiot and Shiawassee, to aid in the construction of wagon roads, in said counties,

The objections of his Excellency the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

The bill was passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Camburn
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,

Mr. Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,

Mr. Parmelee,
Randall,
Rockwood,
Sohars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
White,

Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,

Packard,
Parker,
S. T. Parsons,

Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Deane,
Eck,
Holt,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,

Mr. Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mickley,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Spence,

Mr. Stannard,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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The question being upon the passage of the twelfth named bill, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships and incorporated villages, in the counties of Gratiot and Clinton, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from St. Louis to the village of St. Johns, in Clinton county,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

The bill was passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Emery,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kedsie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Newcombe,

Mr. Pearl,
Randall,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,

Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,

Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Van Vleet,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Wright,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Boies,
W. G. Brown.
Canniff,
Deane,
Eck,
Holt,
J. H. Jones,
Lovell,

Mr. Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mickley,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Mr. Spence,
Stannard,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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Mr. L. Smith moved that the Senate be requested to return to the House,

House bill No. 221, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county;

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, By the Senate, (the House concurring,) That the two Houses meet in joint convention, this (Friday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, to consider any nominations the Governor may be pleased to submit to said convention;

Which has passed the Senate, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The House concurred in the adoption of the resolution.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a road, to be known as the Montcalm and Gratiot State road, approved March 18, 1865;

2. House bill No. 232, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 102, of session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 10, of an act entitled "an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies," approved February 12, 1855;

3. House bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reimburse and compensate the German Christian Agricultural and Benevolent society for the construction of drains and ditches on the State swamp lands, in the county of Huron, by an appropriation of swamp lands therefor;

4. House bill No. 334, entitled

A bill to provide for the reassessment and collection of certain taxes in the township of Penn, in the county of Cass;

5. House bill No. 392, entitled

A bill to authorize and legalize a re-survey of the village plat of the village of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, and to authorize the recording of said village plat, in the office of the register of deeds of said county;

In the passage of which, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same

to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Board of Control of the Reform School, be and they are hereby requested to furnish the school with papers suitable for the boys, so that each one may have a paper each week;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize certain persons to administer oaths and take acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators

elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and,

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The rules were suspended, and the bill placed on the order of third reading.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 293, entitled

A bill to amend section 1259, of the compiled laws, being section 19, of chapter 81, of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to weights and measures,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by striking out in line 4, of recited section 19, the words "twenty-six hundred and fifty-eight," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "twenty-seven hundred and forty-eight;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Healy moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken, ,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,

Mr. Haven,
Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,

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| Boies, | Howard, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Wells, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Sexton, | |

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Rookwood, |
| Benedict, | Kingsbury, | White, |
| Bonine, | McCutcheon, | Wilson, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Woodman, |
| Duseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Speaker, |
| R. Jones, | Parmelee, | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to repeal the charter of the Monroe and Flat Rock plank road company;

2. House bill No. 450, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Sebewaing, in the county of Huron, to raise money by tax for the purposes therein mentioned;

3. House bill No. 441, entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement of the Saginaw river, and to authorize the cities of Saginaw, East Saginaw, the townships of Zilwaakie, Baena Vista, Carrolton and Spaulding, in Saginaw county, to raise money by tax in aid thereof;

4. House bill No. 444, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of union school district No. 1, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena;

5. House bill No. 428, entitled

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Sheridan, in the county of Calhoun, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for said township by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

6. House bill No. 426, entitled

A bill to amend section 161, of an act to revise the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, being act No. 214, of the session laws of 1865, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to extend the time of collecting certain taxes, and to revive and continue the warrant of the treasurer of the township of Romulus, Wayne county;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and,

On motion of Mr. Swift,

The rule requiring the second and third reading of bills to be on different days, was suspended, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Robinson, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Schars, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Oamburn, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Croesman, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Dusscau, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Woodward, |

Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,

F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,

Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Swift,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of trustees of fractional school district No. 1, of the city of Grand Rapids, to borrow money;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 49, entitled

A bill to provide for the protection and preservation of fish in the lakes, ponds, rivers and creeks, in the counties of Oakland, Genesee, Livingston, Cass, Hillsdale and Lenawee,

Which the House amended by striking out of section 1, line 3, after the word "of," the words "Oakland, Livingston, Cass, Genesee, Lenawee," and inserting after the word "and," in section 1, line 3, the following: "the township of Bloomfield, West Bloomfield, Pontiac and Waterford, in the county of Oakland, and the township of Paw Paw, in the county of Van Buren;"

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the House amendment, by inserting after the word "Pontiac," the words "Commerce, White Lake," in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. C. R. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made by the Senate, to the amendment made to the bill by the House;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Warner, |

Emerson,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Holt,

L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,
Rockwood,

Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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Mr. Corey,

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The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 186, entitled

A bill to authorize school district No. 5, of the township of Burr Oak, in the county of St. Joseph, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned;

2. House bill No. 313, entitled

A bill relating to the planting of trees or shrubs in the highway, being a bill to amend section 1111, being section 2, of chapter 25, of the compiled laws, and to add two new sections thereto;

3. House bill No. 337, entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement of the highway leading from the village of Lyons to the village of Muir, in the county of Ionia;

4. House bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of the township of Park, in the county of St. Joseph, to convey real estate;

5. House bill No. 399, entitled

A bill to quiet the title to certain lands;

6. House bill No. 438, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and

cities, in the counties of Sanilac, Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan moneys, or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties;

7. House bill No. 439, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 113, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, it being an act to organize the Wayne County Farm for the benefit and support of the poor, into a school district;

8. House bill No. 456, entitled

A bill making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School for the years 1867 and 1868;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to compel railroad companies to provide their passenger coaches with aprons between the same, for protection to passengers and other purposes;

2. Senate bill No. 234, entitled

A bill to regulate express companies, and their agents and individuals, prosecuting the express business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the

Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on internal improvements.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 21, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 311, entitled

A bill to prevent animals from running at large in the public highways;

And to inform the House that the Senate has made the following amendments thereto:

1. By striking out all of section 1, after the word "*Provided,*" in line 3, and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "That this act shall be operative only in those counties, or parts of counties, in which it shall be so determined by resolution passed by the board of supervisors of such county;"

2. By striking out in line 1, section 2, the words, "fail or refuse to;" also, by striking out the word "permitting," in line 2, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "prohibiting;" also strike out the words, "to run," in line 3, and insert in lieu thereof, the words, "from running;"

3. By inserting the words, "city or village," after the word "town," wherever the word "town" occurs in the section; also, by striking out in line 15, the word "or," and inserting in line 15, after the word "sheep," the words, "ten cents for every;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Corey moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Scharn, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| O. B. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Crossman, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Deane, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Dusseau, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Emerson, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | Rockwood, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | | |

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| Mr. Funston, | Mr. W. H. Osborn, | Mr. Wright, |
| Huckins, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |

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The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

On motion of Mr. Jenness,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. Wells, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of the following entitled bills and joint resolutions:

1. House bill No. 435, entitled

A bill to extend aid to such incorporated colleges in the State, as may provide a course of instruction for teachers of primary schools;

2. House bill No. 395, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 200, of the session laws of 1850, entitled an act to vacate the south half of block number six, in the village of Lawrence, in the county of Van Buren;

3. House bill No. 267, entitled

A bill to provide a tax for the expenses of the State government;

4. House bill No. 336, entitled

A bill to prescribe the weight of a barrel of salt and a barrel of flour;

5. House bill No. 252, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Cascade;

6. House bill No. 243, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Washington;

7. House bill No. 235, entitled.

A bill to provide for the geological survey of the State;

8. House bill No. 236, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 273, of session laws of 1865, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers;

9. House bill No. 101, entitled

A bill to authorize school district No. 6, of the township of Lexington, in the county of Sanilac, to borrow money for a purpose in said bill mentioned, and to issue bonds therefor;

10. House bill No. 180, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Negaunee, under a special charter;

11. House joint resolution No. 28, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Frederick Annis;

12. House joint resolution No. 29, entitled

Joint resolution asking Congress to change the line of the Marquette and Ontonagon railroad, so that said road shall run within one mile of the village of Houghton, on Portage lake, in the county of Houghton;

13. House bill No. 344, entitled

A bill to attach the county of Washington to the 12th judicial circuit;

14. House bill No. 345, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 273, of the session laws of 1865, it being an act entitled an act to amend section 821, it being section 89, of chapter 17, compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers;

15. House bill No. 281, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 236, of the session laws of 1863, being an act to provide for the protection of game in the State of Michigan;

16. House bill No. 144, entitled

A bill to authorize school district No. 2, of the township of Lapeer, in the county of Lapeer, to borrow money and issue bonds therefor, for the purposes therein mentioned;

17. House bill No. 189, entitled

A bill to authorize school district No. 17, of the township of Flint, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose therein mentioned;

18. House bill No. 479, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the township board and of the special township meeting of the township of Redford, county of Wayne, in voting in the year 1865, moneys to pay bounties to volunteers;

19. House bill No. 282, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of act No. 205, of session laws of 1865, entitled "an act to provide for a tax on dogs;"

20. House bill No. 459, entitled

A bill to prohibit certain immoral advertisements;

21. House joint resolution No. 32, entitled

Joint resolution refunding certain moneys to the credit of the Ontonagon and State line State road, and the L'Anse and State line State road;

22. House bill No. 470, entitled

A bill relative to murder in the first degree, and the penalty therefor;

23. House bill No. 480, entitled

A bill to authorize dissection in certain cases, for the advancement of science;

24. House bill No. 477, entitled

A bill to authorize the Roman Catholic bishops of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust for the use of the church;

25. House bill No. 482, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money, or raise by tax, a sum for making public improvements in said village;

26. House bill No. 483, entitled

A bill to repeal section 12, of act No. 304, of the session laws of 1865, approved March 20, 1865, entitled an act to encourage the erection and support of water-power manufactories;

27. House bill No. 481, entitled

A bill to incorporate the board of trustees of the Michigan Universalist State Convention;

28. House bill No. 478, entitled

A bill to attach certain territory to union school district No. 2, in the township of Columbia;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The several bills and joint resolutions were placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Warner, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 186, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the salaries of the State officers for the years 1867 and 1868, and for the pay of the members and officers of the Constitutional Convention, to be held in the year 1867, and the expenses incident thereto;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Warner,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Wilcox, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of certain deputy State officers and clerks;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Wilcox,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 4, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 278, of the session laws of 1865, being an act to amend section 821, it being section 89, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers,

Being under consideration,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Crossman, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 169, entitled

A bill making appropriation to build additional dormitory accommodations at the State Agricultural College;

Which motion prevailed.

Pending the taking of the question on the passage of the bill,

The Speaker announced that the hour fixed for holding the joint convention had arrived.

Mr. Walker moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Senate, and inform that body that the House is now ready to meet them in joint convention;

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Walker, Mead and Fenton, as such committee.

After a short absence, the committee reported that they had performed the duty assigned them.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced the Honorable the Senate, who were conducted to seats.

PROCEEDINGS IN JOINT CONVENTION.

The joint convention was called to order by the President of the Senate.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary of the Senate, and a quorum of the Senators were present.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk of the House, and a quorum of the members were present.

The President of the Senate announced that the joint convention had assembled for the purpose of receiving any communication from his Excellency, the Governor, that he may desire to make.

Senator Rich moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon his Excellency the Governor, to inform him that the two Houses were assembled in joint convention, and ready to receive any communication that he may desire to make;

Which motion prevailed.

The President appointed Senator Rich and Representatives Spence and Shetterly as such committee.

After a short absence, the committee reported that they had performed the duty assigned them, and that his Excellency, the Governor, would communicate with the joint convention immediately, in writing.

The following communication was then received from his Excellency, the Governor, by the hand of his private Secretary, Thomas J. Cobb, Esq.:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Joint Convention :

I hereby nominate Friend Palmer to the office of Quarter

master General, in place of O. N. Giddings, resigned, said appointment to take effect April 1, 1867.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

Senator Childs moved that the joint convention advise and consent to the nomination of the Governor.

The Secretary of the Senate called the roll of the Senate, with the following result:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Abell, | Mr. Curtin, | Mr. Peters, |
| Andrews, | Draper, | Pringle, |
| Arms, | Gies, | Rich, |
| Bradley, | Green, | Seymour, |
| Carlton, | Howell, | Sheley, |
| Chapman, | Jenness, | Smith, |
| Childs, | Jerome, | Standish, |
| Olisbee, | Latourette, | Wait, |
| Collier, | Luce, | Williams, |
| Croswell, | | 28 |

NAYS.

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The Clerk of the House called the roll of the House, with the following result:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Schars, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | Spence, |
| Oanniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Sweezy, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Duseau, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Newcombe, | Walker, |

Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,

Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,

Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker

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The President announced that a majority of all the members of the joint convention having voted in favor of confirming the nomination of Friend Palmer, as Quartermaster General, the nomination was confirmed.

On motion of Senator Collier,

The joint convention adjourned *sine die*.

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate,

N. B. JONES,

*Clerk of the House of Representatives,
and Secretaries of the Joint Convention.*

The Honorable, the Senate having retired,

The House was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

The Speaker announced to the House, that the two Houses, in joint convention assembled, had advised and consented to the nomination made by the Governor, of Friend Palmer, to the office of Quartermaster General.

The question recurring upon the passage of Senate bill No. 169, entitled

A bill making appropriation to build additional dormitory accommodations at the State Agricultural College,

Which was pending when the joint convention assembled.

The bill was not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Ball, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Rockwood, | White, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Willard, |
| Howard, | Slayton, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | L. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Jenness, | R. B. Smith, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Havey, | Mr. F. Parsons, |
| Barber, | Healy, | Pearl, |
| Beall, | Hill, | Randall, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | C. C. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvip, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Deane, | McIntcheon, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Wells, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | |

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That from and after Monday, the 25th day of March, 1867, the two Houses will transact no business other than for the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of

the Governor, and the entry of the same on the journals of the proper Houses, by the Secretary and Clerk, and that the time of final adjournment of this Legislature shall be on Thursday, the 28th day of March, 1867, at 12 o'clock noon, of that day;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House, in compliance with its request, House bill No. 221, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on roads and bridges.

Senate bill No. 115, entitled

A bill to establish an institution of learning, to be called the Michigan female college,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. S. T. Parsons moved that there be a call of the House
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and Mr. Jewell was reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. White,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill,

Mr. Wilson demanded the previous question;

The demand was seconded, and pending the ordering of the main question,

Mr. Crossman moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and Messrs. Aitken, Healy and Newell, were reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. Warner,

All further proceedings under the call, were dispensed with.

The main question was then ordered.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Ball | Hopkins, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | R. Jones, | Sweezy, |
| Crossman, | Kedzie, | Swift, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | White, |
| Hill, | L. Smith, | Speaker, 39 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Randall, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Schar, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | Shetterly, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Slayton, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | O. C. Smith, |

Camburn,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Haven,

McCutcheon,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,

P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Van Vleet,
Wells,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright, 54

On motion of Mr. White,

The House took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

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EVENING SESSION.

8 o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 244, entitled

A bill for the relief of railroads in the Upper Peninsula;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out the word "ten," in line 1, section 2, and inserting the word "six," in lieu thereof;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Hill moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Boies, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Camburn, | Kingsbury, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Lockwood, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Sweezey, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Ellows, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Haven, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Holt, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Howard, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Shepherd, | Speaker, 63 |

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Parker, | 2 |
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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Mr. Kedzie, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 244, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State Normal School;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Kedzie,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Healy, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 265, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Cliff, in the county of Washington;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,
The bill was passed, a majority of ' all the members elect
voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. McCutcheon, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | McKernan, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Mead, | C. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mickleý, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Miles, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Stevens, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Swezey, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Holt, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Locke, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Lockwood, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Mason, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. W. G. Brown. | Mr. Dunlap, | Mr. Taylor, | 3 |
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was
ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Deane, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the
table Senate bill No. 182, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "an act to lay out
and establish a State road, in the counties of Mecosta, Osceola
and Missaukee, and to appropriate certain non-resident high-
way taxes thereon," approved February 15th, 1865;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect
voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Schars, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Bosine, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | C. O. Smith |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Swezey, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | S. T. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Rockwood, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. Randall, | Mr. Stannard, |
| Haven, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deane,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Walker asked unanimous consent to move to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 210, entitled

A bill to create a fire commission in the city of Detroit;

Objected to by Mr. Wright.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate joint resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint resolution asking the general government for the substitution of even for odd sections, in the appropriation of lands to aid in the construction of wagon roads,

the Governor, and the entry of the same on the journals of the proper Houses, by the Secretary and Clerk, and that the time of final adjournment of this Legislature shall be on Thursday, the 28th day of March, 1867, at 12 o'clock noon, of that day;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House, in compliance with its request, House bill No. 221, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on roads and bridges.

Senate bill No. 115, entitled

A bill to establish an institution of learning, to be called the Michigan female college,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. S. T. Parsons moved that there be a call of the House
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and Mr. Jewell was reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. White,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.
 The question recurring upon the passage of the bill,
 Mr. Wilson demanded the previous question;
 The demand was seconded, and pending the ordering of the
 main question,
 Mr. Crossman moved that there be a call of the House;
 Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and Messrs.
 Aitken, Healy and Newell, were reported absent without
 leave.

On motion of Mr. Warner,

All further proceedings under the call, were dispensed with.
 The main question was then ordered.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was not passed, a majority of all the members elect
 not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Ball | Hopkins, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | R. Jones, | Sweezey, |
| Crossman, | Kedzie, | Swift, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Grier, | Rockwood, | White, |
| Hill, | L. Smith, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Randall, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Schars, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | Shetterly, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Slayton, |
| Oanniff, | Mason, | O. C. Smith, |

Camburn,
Chauvin,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Haven,

McCutcheon,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,

P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Van Vleet,
Wells,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright, 54

On motion of Mr. White,

The House took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

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EVENING SESSION.

8 o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 244, entitled

A bill for the relief of railroads in the Upper Peninsula;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out the word "ten," in line 1, section 2, and inserting the word "six," in lieu thereof;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Hill moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Boies, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Camburn, | Kingsbury, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Lockwood, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Bellows, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Haven, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Holt, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Howard, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Shepherd, | Speaker, 63 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Parker, | 2 |
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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Mr. Kedzie, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 244, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State Normal School;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Kedzie,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Healy, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 265, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Cliff, in the county of Washington;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. McCutcheon, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | McKernan, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Mead, | C. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Micklely, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Miles, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Stevens, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Sweezy, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Holt, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Rockwood, | Woodward, |
| Locke, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Lockwood, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Mason, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

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|------------------|-------------|-------------|---|
| Mr. W. G. Brown. | Mr. Dunlap, | Mr. Taylor, | 3 |
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Deane, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 182, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "an act to lay out and establish a State road, in the counties of Mecosta, Osceola and Missaukee, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon," approved February 15th, 1865;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Schars, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | B. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | O. O. Smith |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | McOutcheon, | Spence, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Swezey, |
| Dussseau, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Woodward, |
| Heally, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | S. T. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Rockwood, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. Randall, | Mr. Stannard, |
| Haven, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deane,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Walker asked unanimous consent to move to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate bill No. 210, entitled

A bill to create a fire commission in the city of Detroit;

Objected to by Mr. Wright.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate joint resolution No. 5, entitled

Joint resolution asking the general government for the substitution of even for odd sections, in the appropriation of lands to aid in the construction of wagon roads,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Packard, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | F. Parsons, |
| Barber | Hill, | S. T. Parsons, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Schars, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| C. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | G. O. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Kingabury, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | Lookwood, | Swezey, |
| Deane, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Mickly, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Stannard, |
| Brownell, | McCutocheon, | Van Vleet, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Willard, |
| Corey, | Parker, | Wilson, |
| Dusseau, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Shetterly, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | | |

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Title and preamble agreed to.

House manuscript joint resolution, entitled

Joint resolution restoring certain State swamp lands in the Upper Peninsula to market, for sale,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Schars, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Shetterly, |

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| Bonine, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | Mead, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | White, |
| Haven, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Stevens, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Van Vleet, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Warner, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Wilson, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Woodward, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Woodman, |
| Emerson, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Fellows, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Fenton, | Sexton, | |

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office, to dispose of certain lands belonging to the State."

The title, as amended, and the preamble, were agreed to.

Mr. L. Smith moved that the joint resolution be ordered to take immediate effect;

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 435, entitled

A bill to extend aid to such incorporated colleges in the State, as may provide a course of instruction for teachers of primary-schools,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Dunlap,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 267, entitled

A bill to provide a tax for the expenses of the State government,

Being under consideration,

Mr. Slayton moved that the bill be laid on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on ways and means.

House bill No. 895, entitled

A bill to amend act number 200, of the session laws of 1850, entitled "an act to vacate the south half of block No. 6, in the village of Lawrence, in the county of Van Buren,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 882, entitled

A bill to secure the completion of the Port Huren and Bay City State road,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. L. D. Osborn, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Packard, |
| Ball, | Haven, | S. T. Parsons, |
| Benedict, | Healy, | Pearl, |
| Bonine, | Holt, | Rockwood, |
| Brownell, | Howard, | Schars, |
| A. S. Brown, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| C. R. Brown, | Jewell, | C. O. Smith, |
| Camburn, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Crossman, | Kedsie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Deane, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Dunlap, | Locke, | Stevens, |
| Dussseau, | Lockwood, | Swift, |
| Emery, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Fenton, | Mead, | Upton, |
| Funston, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | Newcombe, | Wilson, |

NAYS.

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|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Mason, | Mr. Spence, |
| Boies, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Canniff, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Corey, | Parker, | Wells, |
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Emerson, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Shetterly, | Woodman, |
| Jenness, | Slayton, | Wright, |
| J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, | Speaker, 36 |

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 336, entitled

A bill to prescribe the weight of a barrel of salt and a barrel of flour,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was laid on the table.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, submitted the following report:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills:

A bill to amend certain sections of an act entitled "an act to repeal chapter 122, of the revised statutes of 1846, and the amendments thereto, and provide for the collection of demands against water craft," approved Feb. 5, 1864;

Also,

A bill to authorize and require county clerks to record soldiers' discharges;

Also,

A bill to amend section 1, as amended, of an act entitled "an act to lay out and construct a road, to be known as the White Rock and Bingham State road," approved Feb. 5, 1864;

Also,

A bill to amend section 3, of act No. 173, of session laws of

1863, being an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the relief by counties, of the families of volunteers, mustered from this State into the military service of the United States, or of this State, approved May 4, 1861, and to add certain sections thereto, approved Jan. 17, 1862;

Also,

A bill to authorize certain townships in the counties of Ionia and Montcalm, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a plank road from Ionia, in Ionia county, to Stanton, in Montcalm county;

Also,

A bill to authorize the township of Laketown, in the county of Allegan, to raise by tax a sufficient sum of money to pay arrearages due from the township for bounties to volunteers;

Also,

A bill to authorize the electors of the township of Columbia, in Van Buren county, to raise money by tax, to pay Norman H. Adams, James M. Gray and Amos S. Brown, for money advanced by them as a committee to fill the quota of said township;

Also,

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Macomb, in the county of Macomb, State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying certain bounties due to volunteers from said township, to aid in suppressing the late rebellion;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 135, of the session laws of 1861, approved March 12, 1861, in regard to a register of probate for Wayne county;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 34 and 35, of "an act to incorporate the city of Monroe," approved March 22, A. D. 1837; also, to amend section two, of an act entitled "an act to amend an act to incorporate the city of Monroe, approved February 15, 1842;

Also,

A bill to charter the village of New Baltimore;

Also,

A bill to provide an additional sum for the payment of members and officers of the Legislature, for the year 1867;

Also,

A bill to organize the township of Munising;

Also,

A bill to authorize the county of Keweenaw to aid in the construction of the mineral range State road, in said county;

Also,

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities of Monroe and Washtenaw counties, to pledge their credit in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the route of the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana railroad, in the city of Monroe, or within 16 miles thereof, to the village of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, by the way of Dundee;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Mt. Morris, in the county of Genesee;

Also,

A bill to revise and amend an act to incorporate the city of Ann Arbor, approved April 4, 1851, and an act amendatory thereto, approved Feb. 12, 1859; and also an act amendatory thereto, approved Feb. 25, 1861;

Also,

A bill to amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Ionia, approved February 17, 1865.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

House bill No. 252, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Cascade,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,

Mr. Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,

Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury
Locke,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,

Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Wells,
White,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Dunlap,
Gallup,
Kedzie,

Mr. Newcombe,
Spence,
Taylor,

Mr. Walker,
Willard,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 248, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Washington,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,

Mr. Rockwood,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,

| | | |
|----------|---------------|-------------|
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Speaker, 67 |
| Holt, | | |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Dunlap, | Mr. Newcombe, | Mr. Walker, |
| Gallup, | Spence, | Willard, 8 |
| Kedzie, | Taylor, | |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 325, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the township of Riley, in Clinton county, in raising bounties for volunteers, and to authorize them to refund money advanced to volunteers,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Eck, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Alexander, | Funston, | O. C. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Glavin, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Grier, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Healy, | Sweezy, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Pearl, | Wells, |
| Crossman, | Shepherd, | Wilson, |
| Dussseau, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Kedzie, | Schara, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Spence,] |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Haven, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard,] |
| Hopkins, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Howard, | Packard, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Randall, | Speaker) |
| Jewell, | Robinson, | |

60

House bill No. 101, entitled

A bill to authorize school district No. 6, of the township of Lexington, in the county of Sanilac, to borrow money for a purpose in said bill mentioned, and to issue bonds therefor,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Huckins,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 286, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 273, of session laws of 1865, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 285, entitled

A bill to provide for the geological survey of the State,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Spence,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 180, entitled .

A bill to incorporate the village of Negaunee, under a special charter,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Healy,

The bill was amended, by striking out the word "March," and inserting the word "May," in lieu thereof.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Smetterly, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| Camburn, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Randall, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Gallup, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Haven, | Kedzie, | |

5

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 474, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Muskegon,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Parker, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | F. Parsons, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Randall, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Schars, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | O. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Sweezy, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Glavin, | W. H. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Packard, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Huckins, Mr. Kedzie, Mr. Robinson, 3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Holt,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 344, entitled

A bill to attach the county of Washington to the twelfth judicial circuit,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Huckins, | Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |

Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,

Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Pearl,

Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Wells,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

68

NAYS.

Mr. Spence,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill
was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 139, entitled

A bill to authorize school district number 17, of the town-
ship of Flint, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for
the purpose therein mentioned,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Huckins,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 144, entitled

A bill to authorize school district number 2, of the town-
ship of Lapeer, in the county of Lapeer, to borrow money and
issue bonds therefor, for the purposes therein mentioned,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Huckins,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 281, entitled

A bill to amend section number one, of act number 286, of
the session laws of 1863, being an act to provide for the pro-
tection of game, in the State of Michigan,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Van Vleet,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 845, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 278, of the session laws of 1865, it being an act entitled an act to amend section 821, it being section 89, of chapter 17, compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 480, entitled

A bill to authorize dissection in certain cases for the advancement of science,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Emery moved to lay the bill on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. JENLSON. | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Spence, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | Sweezy, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | Swift, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | Taylor, |
| O. R. Brown, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Upton, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Shepherd, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | Shetterly, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Slayton, | Wright, |
| Howard, | L. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | R. B. Smith, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Packard, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Parker, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | Randall, |

Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,

Mason,
McCutcheon,
Murray,

Rockwood,
P. S. Spaulding,
Woodward, 18

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 479, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the township board and of the special township meeting of the township of Redford, county of Wayne, in voting in the year 1865, moneys to pay bounties to volunteers,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Benedict,
Boies,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,

Mr. Emery,
Fellows,
Grier,
Haven,
Hill,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
Locke,
McKernan,
Mead,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,

Mr. S. T. Parsons,
Robinson,
Rockwood,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Barber,
Bonine,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Deane,
Funston,
Hopkins,
Huckins,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,

Mr. Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Randall,
Shetterly,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spaulding,

Mr. P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Sweezy,
Taylor,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wright,

34

House bill No. 483, entitled

A bill to repeal section 12, of act No. 304, of the session

laws of 1865, approved March 20, 1865, entitled an act to encourage the erection and support of water-power manufactories,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 478, entitled

A bill to attach certain territory to union school district No. 1, in the township of Columbia,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

The bill was amended by inserting after the word "Arlington," in line 3, section 1, the words, "in the county of Van Buren, and State of Michigan."

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|--------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | • Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Sweezy, |
| Camburn, | McOntoheon, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dussean, | Murray, | Van Fleet, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Packard, | White, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Shepherd, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Shetterly, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Slayton, | Wright, |
| Holt, | C. C. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

61

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Crossman, | Mr. Kedzie, |
| W. G. Brown, | | |

4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 482, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money, or raise by tax, a sum for making public improvements in said village,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Glavin, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Grier, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Holt, | L. Smith, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Brownell, | Locke, | Sweezey, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | Swift, |
| C. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Taylor, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Van Vleet, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Corey, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Crossman, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Deane, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Dussean, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Fenton, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The title was amended by striking out all after the word "for," and inserting the words "aid to fire department," in lieu thereof.

The title as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 282, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of act No. 205, of session laws of 1865, entitled "an act to provide for a tax on dogs,"

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Wright moved to amend the bill by adding thereto a new section, to stand as section 2, as follows:

"Sec. 2. Section 6, of said act, be and the same is hereby repealed;"

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Jenness,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 477, entitled

A bill to authorize the Roman Catholic Bishops of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust for the use of the church,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dussean,
Eck,

Mr. Healy,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,

Mr. Slayton,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,

Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Haven,

S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,

Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

70

NAYS.

Mr. McCutcheon,

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 481, entitled

A bill to incorporate the board of trustees of the Michigan Universalist State convention,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,

Mr. Funston,
Glavin,
Healy,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
Randall,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Swezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Wells,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Wells,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations, conventions, conferences or religious bodies, for literary, religious or other benevolent purposes."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

House bill No. 459, entitled

A bill to prohibit certain immoral advertisements,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was amended by striking out all between the word "advertisement," in 2d line of section 1, and the word "which," in the 8d line.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | L. Smith |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | E. Spalding, |
| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | Sweezy, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Oanniff, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | F. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

0

Title agreed to.

House joint resolution No. 28, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Frederick Annis,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Haven, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shetterly, |

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Barber, | Hepkins, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Howard, | E. Spalding, |
| Bonine, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| Brownell, | Jenness, | Stevens, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Swift, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Taylor |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Tompkins, |
| Chanvin, | McCutcheon, | Van Vleet, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Willard, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Wright, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | Randall, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Corey,

Mr. Stannard,

2

Title and preamble agreed to.

House joint resolution No. 29, entitled

Joint resolution asking Congress to change the line of the Marquette and Ontonagon railroad, so that said road shall run within one mile of the village of Houghton, on Portage Lake, in the county of Houghton,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Emerson moved to lay the joint resolution on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The joint resolution was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Spence, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |

| | | |
|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Emerson, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Barber, | Fenton, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | Van Vleet, |
| A. S. Brown, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Chauvin, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Deane, | | |

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Title and preamble agreed to.

Mr. Wilcox, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, (The Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives, be and they are hereby authorized and requested to compile and prepare for publication, and make indexes, and superintend the publication of the journals and documents of the present Legislature, and when completed and certified to by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate shall be entitled to, and receive for his services, the sum of four hundred dollars, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to, and receive for his services, the sum of five hundred dollars.

Laid on the table for one day under the rules.

The committee on ways and means, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

By the committee on ways and means:

The committee on ways and means, to whom was recommended House bill No. 267, entitled

A bill to provide a tax for the expenses of the State government,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill

when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. WILCOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. S. T. Parsons, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Rockwood, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | E. Spalding, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Stannard, |
| Brownell, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Sweezey, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Locke, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | Mead, | Wells, |
| Emerson. | Mickley, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | Murray, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Speaker, |

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Jenness moved that the House adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

House joint resolution No. 32, entitled

Joint resolution refunding certain moneys to the credit of the Ontonagon and State line State road, and the L'Anse and State line State road,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Funston, | Mr. Rockwood, |
| Alexander, | Glavin, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Grier, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Healy, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Jewell, | Sweezy, |
| Crossman, | Kedzie, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Kingsbury, | Taylor, |
| Dunseath, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Mead, | Wilson, |
| Emery, | Mickley, | Woodman, |
| Fellows, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Fenton, | F. Parsons, | |

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Packard, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Stannard, |
| W. G. Brown, | R. Jones, | Van Vleet, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | Wells, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Wilcox, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Woodward, |
| Hill, | W. H. Osborn, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

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On motion of Mr. Jenness,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at nine o'clock.

Lansing, Saturday, March 28, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Potter.

Roll called: quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 240, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Lansing to raise by tax, or

borrow money, to aid in the erection of college buildings, for the Michigan female college,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 234, entitled

A bill to regulate express companies, and their agents and individuals, prosecuting the express business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was recommitted House bill No. 463, entitled

A bill to provide for re-assessing, assessing and collecting taxes to pay for certain improvements upon Michigan avenue and Cedar street, in the city of Lansing, and also to pay the interest which has accrued or may accrue on the sums expended in making such improvements,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to

the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, which has been prepared in accordance with an alleged arrangement between those assessed for the grading of Michigan avenue and Cedar street and the city authorities, which though not satisfactory to the parties interested, will, we are informed, not be opposed by them, and the committee recommend that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. O. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Packard, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | F. Parsons, |
| Ball, | Holt, | S. T. Parsons, |
| Barber, | Hopkins, | Pearl, |
| Beall, | Howard, | Schars, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Sweezy, |
| Crossman, | Mason, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Mead, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | Wells, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | W. H. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | | |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Corey, | Mr. Sexton, | Mr. Van Vleet, | |
| Newell, | C. O. Smith, | Wilcox, | |
| Parker, | E. Spalding, | Woodward, | |
| Randall, | P. S. Spaulding, | Speaker, | |
| Robinson, | Stannard, | | 14 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Keadie,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize certain persons to administer oaths and take acknowledgments of deeds and other instruments in writing,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill "to regulate the trial of suits for a divorce,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass,

and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on internal improvements:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to compel railroad companies to provide their passenger coaches with aprons between the same, for protection to passengers and for other purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on internal improvements:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred

A bill to amend an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Hillsdale;

Also, the petitions of L. P. Reynolds, H. E. Whipple, and 40 others, and of A. F. Whelan, D. L. Pratt and 110 others, asking for the passage of said bill;

Also, the remonstrance of Henry Waldron, H. L. Hall, C. T. Mitchell and 15 others, and of H. L. Hewett, H. E. Bixby and 19 others, and of J. C. Clark, C. B. Smith and 52 others, against the passage of said bill,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Wilcox,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Aitken, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw certificates of pay up to and including Thursday, the day of final adjournment.

Mr. Kedzie demanded the yeas and nays.

Mr. Wilcox offered the following as a substitute therefor:

Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw certificates of pay only up to and including Monday.

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

The resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. S. T. Parsons moved to take the resolution from the table;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the adoption of the substitute,

Mr. Slayton moved to amend the substitute by striking out the word "Monday," and inserting the word "Tuesday," in lieu thereof;

The amendment was accepted.

The substitute was not agreed to.

The question recurring upon the original resolution,

The resolution was adopted, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Schar, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | O. O. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Lockwood, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Crossman, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Emerson, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Emery, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Haven, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Murray, |
| Barber, | Eck, | Randall, |
| Beall, | Fenton, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Swezey, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | Walker, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Wilcox, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | Woodward, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Woodman, |
| Corey, | Mason, | Speaker, |
| Dunlap, | | |

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MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to amend act No. 185, of the session laws of 1861, approved March 12, 1861, in regard to a register of probate for Wayne county;

Also,

An act to organize the township of Munising;

Also,

An act to amend section 7, of an act entitled, an act to incorporate the village of Ionia;

Also,

An act to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Macomb, in the county of Macomb, State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying certain bounties due to volunteers from said township, to aid in suppressing the late rebellion;

Also,

An act to provide an additional sum for the payment of members and officers of the Legislature, for the year 1867;

Also,

An act to amend section three, of act No. one hundred and seventy-three, of session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to provide for the relief by counties, of the families of volunteers, mustered from this State into the military service of the United States, or of this State, approved May 4, 1861, and to add certain sections thereto, approved Jan. 17, 1862;

Also,

An act to authorize the electors of the township of Columbia, in Van Buren county, to raise money by tax, to pay Norman H. Adams, James M. Gray and Amos S. Brown, for money advanced by them as a committee to fill the quota of said township;

Also,

An act to authorize and require county clerks to record soldiers' discharges;

Also,

An act to authorize the township of Laketown, in the county of Allegan, to raise by tax a sufficient sum of money to pay arrearages due from the township for bounties to volunteers;

Also,

An act to amend certain sections of an act entitled "an act to repeal chapter 122, of the revised statutes of 1846, and the amendments thereto, and provide for the collection of demands against water craft," approved Feb. 5, 1864;

Also,

An act to amend section 1, as amended, of an act entitled "an act to lay out and construct a road, to be known as the White Rock and Bingham State road," approved Feb. 5, 1864;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Mt. Morris, in the county of Genesee;

Also,

An act to authorize the county of Keweenaw to aid in the construction of the mineral range State road, in said county;

Also,

An act to amend sections 34 and 35, of "an act to incorporate the city of Monroe," approved March 22, A. D. 1837; also, to amend section two, of an act entitled "an act to amend an act to incorporate the city of Monroe, approved February 15, 1842;

Also,

An act to revise and amend an act to incorporate the city of Ann Arbor, approved April 4, 1851, and an act amendatory thereto, approved Feb. 12, 1859; and also an act amendatory thereto, approved Feb. 25, 1861;

Also,

An act to charter the village of New Baltimore.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

House bill No. 87, entitled

A bill to authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated villages, in the counties of Saginaw and Gratiot, to vote a tax or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank or gravel road, from Saginaw to St. Louis and Alma;

Also, House bill No. 288, being

A bill to authorize any of the townships and incorporated villages in the counties of Gratiot and Clinton, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from St. Louis to the village of St. Johns, in Clinton county,

Which his Excellency, the Governor, returned to the House without his approval, and with his objections thereto;

And which the House passed by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding;

And to inform the House that the Senate has non-concurred in the passage of said bills, two-thirds of all the Senators elect not voting therefor.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Ball,

The bills were laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to authorize Midland county to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Midland and Bay City plank road;

2. House bill No. 141, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Saginaw, Bay, Tuscola, Gratiot and

Shiawassee, to aid in the construction of wagon roads in said counties,

Which his Excellency the Governor, returned to the House without his approval, with his objections thereto, and which the House passed by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding;

And to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in the passage of said bills, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 266, entitled

A bill to change the name of the Michigan Asylum for the educating the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind;

And to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in the amendment made by the House, to the amendments made to the bill by the Senate.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 390, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out in line 2, of recited section 1, all after the word "shall," down to and including the word "to," in line 8, and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "at their annual meeting in the year 1867, may appoint three discreet freeholders, each of whom shall be an elector and an inhabitant of a different township from the others, to be known as drainage commissioners of such county; one for the term of one year, one for the term of two years, and one for the term of three years, each to hold his office until another shall be appointed in his place and duly qualified; and at their annual session in each year thereafter the board of supervisors shall appoint one commissioner for three years, and until his successor is chosen and qualified; such commissioners shall;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Brownell moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,

Mr. Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,

Mr. Randall,
Sohars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,

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| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Newcombe, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | Newell, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Hill, | Packard, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | F. Parsons, | Wright, |
| Howard, | S. T. Parsons, | Speaker, 72 |
| | NAYS. | 0 |

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 19, 20, 24 and 26, of chapter 57, of the compiled laws;

2. House bill No. 402, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the electors of the township of Olive, Clinton, county, in voting bounties to volunteers;

3. House bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to amend section 1987, being section 43, of chapter 67, of the compiled laws, it being an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855, so as to require all persons and companies owning or occupying railroads to fence the same;

4. House bill No. 458, entitled

A bill to enable townships, cities and counties to redeem their pledges in paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in the suppression of the rebellion;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 322, entitled

A bill for the protection of land, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out all after the word "may," in line 1, of section 3, to and including the word "proceedings," in line 4;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. A. S. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,

Mr. Hopkins,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,

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| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | C. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Swezey, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Speaker |

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NAYS.

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

Senate bill No. 261, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to provide for the preservation of the Muskegon river improvement, and for other purposes, approved March 13, 1867;

Also, Senate bill No. 264, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 117, of the compiled laws, entitled of courts held by justices of the peace;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the

Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on internal improvements.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 22, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 16, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land to L. Alonzo Mallery, of the township of Reading, Michigan;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out in line 5, the words "instructed and directed," and adding at the end of line 7, the following words: " *Provided*, That said L. Alonzo Mallery can establish his legal title to the rights of said John G. Lyon to the lands above described, to the satisfaction of said Commissioner;" also, by striking out in line 1, of the preamble, the word "is," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "claims to be;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Taylor moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the joint resolution by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
 Ball,
 Barber,
 Beall,
 Boies,
 Bonine,
 A. S. Brown,
 C. R. Brown,
 W. G. Brown,
 Canhiff,
 Camburn,
 Corey,
 Crossman,
 Dunlap,
 Dusseau,
 Eek,
 Gallup,
 Glavin,
 Greenfield,
 Grier,
 Haven,
 Healy,

Mr. Hill,
 Holt,
 Hopkins,
 Huckins,
 Jewell,
 J. H. Jones,
 R. Jones,
 Kingsbury,
 Locke,
 Lockwood,
 Mason,
 McOutcheon,
 McKernan,
 Mead,
 Miles,
 Murray,
 Newcombe,
 Newell,
 L. D. Osborn,
 Packard,
 F. Parsons,
 Randall,

Mr. Robinson,
 Schars,
 Shepherd,
 Shetterly,
 Slayton,
 L. Smith,
 R. B. Smith,
 E. Spalding,
 P. S. Spaulding,
 Spence,
 Stannard,
 Stevens,
 Sweezey,
 Swift,
 Taylor,
 Tompkins,
 Upton,
 Van Fleet,
 Wells,
 Wilson,
 Woodward,
 Wright, 66

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Mr. Speaker, 1

The joint resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
 Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

Senate bill No. 257, entitled

A bill to amend sections 3, 15, and 17, of chapter 17; also section 23, of chapter seventy-three; also section 38, of chapter 131, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, of chapter 18, being sections 784, 796, 798, 948, 949, 950, 951, 2168, and 4476, of the compiled laws, relating to the assessment and collection of certain taxes;

Also, Senate bill No. 263, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Jackson, approved Feb. 14, 1857;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title.

Mr. Slayton moved that the bill be referred to the committees on banks and incorporations, and the judiciary, jointly.

Mr. Boies demanded the yeas and nays;

The demand was seconded, and the motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. L. Smith, |
| Alexander, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Sweezy, |
| Fellows, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Gallup, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Grier, | Parker, | Tompkins |
| Haven, | S. T. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Holt, | Schars, | Warner, |
| Jenness, | Sexton, | White, |
| Kedzie, | Slayton, | Woodward, 39 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Pearl, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Randall, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Upton, |
| Corey, | Miles, | Wells, |

Dunlap,
Emerson,
Fenton,
Funston,
Greenfield,

Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,

Willard,
Wilson,
Wright,
Speaker,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on ways and means.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to authorize the taxation of the shares of stockholders of banks;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 365, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 216, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, and acts amendatory thereof, the same being an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands, in

so much as relates to the counties of Monroe, Oakland and Wayne,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out all after and including the word "counties," in lines 2 and 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the county of Ionia, nor to any of the townships of Oakland county, except Royal Oak;"

2. By striking out section 2, and inserting a new section, as follows:

"Sec. 2. Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to prevent the drainage commissioners of said counties from completing any ditch jobs which they may have heretofore lawfully begun: *Provided*, The same be completed within one year from the passage of this act."

The Senate has also amended the title by striking out all after and including the word "counties," in the 1st line, down to and including the word "Wayne," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the county of Ionia, and all the townships of Oakland county, except Royal Oak;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Wilson moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate.

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,

Mr. Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mallet,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Sweezy,

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| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Funston, | Packard, | White, |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Holt, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Huckins, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Schars, | Speaker, 57 |

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| Mr. Canniff, | Mr. Swift, | 2 |
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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I respectfully return to the House, without my signature, the following bills:

First. An act to authorize the several townships and cities of Monroe and Washtenaw counties, to pledge their credit in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the route of the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana railroad, in the city of Monroe, or within 16 miles thereof, to the village of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, by the way of Dundee;

Second. An act to authorize certain townships in the counties of Ionia and Montcalm, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a plank road from Ionia, in Ionia county, to Stanton, in Montcalm county.

My reasons for returning these bills without my approval, are, that they are of doubtful constitutionality; that if not unconstitutional they are inexpedient, and that the policy of such legislation will be, in my opinion, injurious to the best interests of the State. My objections are more fully set forth in my previous veto messages, made both to the House and the Senate,

on the subject of extending municipal aid for the construction of railroads, plank roads, &c., to which I would most respectfully refer you.

The second bill now returned, (House bill No. 253,) is objectionable on account of its ambiguity, and especially on account of the abuses which might grow up under it. Its language is susceptible of being so construed, as to authorize a municipality to raise money by taxation to construct, or aid in the construction, of a road outside of its territorial limits, and also to donate money to a private company or corporation for the construction of a road, which such corporation shall own, and for the use of which it may charge and exact tolls.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House reconsidered the votes by which the bills were passed.

The question being upon the passage of House bill No. 378, entitled

A bill to authorize the several townships and cities of Monroe and Washtenaw counties, to pledge their credit in the construction of a railroad, from some point on the route of the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana railroad, in the city of Monroe, or within sixteen miles thereof, to the village of Saline, in the county of Washtenaw, by the way of Dundee,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was laid on the table.

The question being upon the passage of House bill No. 253, entitled

A bill to authorize certain townships in the counties of Ionia and Montcalm, to vote a tax, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road from Ionia, in Ionia county, to Stanton, in Montcalm county,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Mead,

The rule requiring the second and third reading of bills to be on different days, was suspended for the remainder of the session.

On motion of Mr. Sweezy,

The committee of the whole was discharged from the further consideration of the following entitled bills and joint resolution:

1. Senate bill No. 234, entitled

A bill to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals prosecuting the express business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan;

2. Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of suits for a divorce;

3. Senate bill No. 240, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Lansing to raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the erection of college buildings for the Michigan Female College;

4. Senate bill No. 151, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Gun Plains, in the county of Allegan, to raise by tax a sufficient sum of money to pay arrearages due from the township for bounties to volunteers;

5. Senate bill No. 214, entitled

A bill to authorize the Governor of the State of Michigan to seize lands to be used by the United States for light-house purposes;

6. Senate bill No. 217, entitled

A bill to enlarge the boundaries of union school district of the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland;

7. Senate bill No. 230, entitled

A bill for the acceptance of the donation of public lands, made by act of Congress, approved July 3, 1866, to the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction of a harbor and ship canal, at Portage Lake, Keweenaw Point, Lake Superior;

8. Senate bill No. 196, entitled

A bill to authorize the sale of certain lands belonging to the State in the city of Jackson;

9. Senate bill No. 210, entitled

A bill to create a fire commission in the city of Detroit;

10. Senate bill No. 220, entitled

A bill to regulate the size of apple barrels;

11. Senate bill No. 38, entitled

A bill to authorize union school district No. 1, of Wyoming and Georgetown, counties of Kent and Ottawa, to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing a school building;

12. Senate bill No. 285, entitled

A bill to provide for holding the circuit courts in case of the death, resignation, removal, absence or inability of the circuit judge;

13. Senate joint resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint resolution in relation to the rolls of honor;

14. Senate bill No. 107, entitled

A bill relative to judgments in criminal cases;

15. Senate bill No. 170, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Allegan and Otsego to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a gravel road, from the village of Allegan to the villages of Otsego and Plainwell, in the county of Allegan;

16. Senate bill No. 203, entitled

A bill in relation to commercial paper;

17. Senate bill No. 231, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Walton, in Eaton county, to raise money by tax, or to borrow money, to build a gravel road from the village of Olivet, to some point on the Peninsular railroad;

18. Senate bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to provide for the reclamation and drainage of swamp lands, by deepening and straightening the channel of the Kalamazoo river, in the county of Allegan;

19. Senate bill No. 238, entitled

A bill to authorize the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw railroad company, to acquire rights of way in certain cases, and granting right of way to said company over the unimproved lands belonging to this State;

20. Senate bill No. 250, entitled

A bill to dispose of certain lands in Jackson county, bid off by the State for drainage taxes;

21. Senate bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Jackson.

On motion of Mr. Swezey,

The several bills were placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Taylor, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Midland, Gladwin and Clare, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon;

Also, Senate bill No. 156, entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Midland and Gladwin, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bills,

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Huckins moved to amend the bill by striking out the word "five," in line 5, of section 3, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "three;"

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Alexander,
Barber,
Benedict,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,

Mr. Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,

Mr. L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Swezey,
Swift,

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| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Upton, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Fenton, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Wilson, |
| Glaivin, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Wright, |
| R. Jones, | Shetterly, | Speaker, 51 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Randall, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| W. G. Brown, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Chauvin, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| Corey, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Fellews, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | 26 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The second named bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. L. Smith, |
| Barber, | Kingsbury | E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | Swezey, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Swift, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Upton, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Fenton, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |

Gallup,
Glavin,
Hopkins,
R. Jones,

Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Shetterly,

Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker, 51

NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Beall,
W. G. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Funston,
Greenfield,

Mr. Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Mason,
Miles,
Murray,
Packard,
Parker,

Mr. Randall,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
R. B. Smith,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Van Vleet,
Willard,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. McKernan asked unanimous consent to move to take from the table House bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Ingallston, in the county of Menominee;

Objected to by Mr. Kedzie.

Mr. Mead, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the order of unfinished business, the following resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives, be and they are hereby authorized and requested to compile and prepare for publication, and make indexes, and superintend the publication of the journals and documents of the present Legislature, and when completed and certified to by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate shall be entitled to and receive for his services, the sum of four hundred dollars; and the Clerk of the House shall be entitled to and receive for his services, the sum of five hundred dollars;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Scharrs, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Mallet, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | McCutcheon, | Sweezay, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Emery, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Haven, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Healy, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Holt, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Huckins, | | |

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| Mr. Camburn, | Mr. Corey, | Mr. White, | \$ |
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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Van Vleet,

The title was amended so as to read as follows:

"An act supplementary to an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved February 12, 1855."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

The committee on ways and means, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on ways and means, to whom was referred the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on ways and means be in-

structed to investigate by what authority the Secretary of State charges from twenty-five cents to as many dollars, for transcripts of records of his office; also, by what authority the Commissioner of the State Land Office charges from twenty-five cents to three or more dollars, for maps and plats prepared by clerks in his office, whose salaries are paid from the State treasury,

Have considered the same, and respectfully beg leave to report:

It seems to have been the practice in both these offices from the organization of the State Government to the present time, to charge certain fees. In the office of the Secretary of State, copies of any act or resolution of the Legislature, or of any record or paper, furnished to any private person, are charged for under the provisions of section 5655, of the compiled laws. In the office of the Commissioner of the Land Office, fees have been charged for maps, diagrams and copies of records, made at the request of the individuals making application therefor. There seems to be no law specially authorizing this officer to charge for such copies; but it seems but just and proper that parties applying for work of this kind should pay a just compensation therefor. We believe that no complaints are made that such charges have been unusual or disproportionate to the labor performed in either of the aforesaid offices. Under such circumstances, there seems to have been no injustice in these charges, and they may perhaps not have been improper although collected without authority of statute law of the State. The fees received from this source, in the office of the Secretary of State, amount, as near as the committee can estimate, to a sum from one to five hundred dollars a year. In the office of the Commissioner of the Land Office, these fees have been less, amounting, perhaps, to a sum from one to four hundred dollars per annum. No part of these sums have ever been paid into the State Treasury. It is but just to say that a portion of the fees thus received have been taken by deputies and clerks, who have performed the work outside of office hours, and with an

express understanding and agreement with the parties seeking information.

The practice has obtained in the offices, of making such charges. It is said that custom sometimes makes law, and in this case the usage seems to have grown up as incidental to the office. The committee would suggest, in this connection, that some law regulating these charges and providing for their payment into the State Treasury, seems both proper and necessary; and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. WILCOX, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Senate bill No. 254, entitled

A bill making appropriation for the State Normal School,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Schars, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Sexton, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Parker, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Woodman, |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Speaker, |

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Mr. S. T. Parsons, Mr. P. S. Spaulding, Mr. Van Vleet, 3
Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was
ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 186, entitled

A bill making appropriations for salaries of State officers for
the years 1867 and 1868, and for the pay of the members and
officers of the Constitutional Convention, to be held in the year
1867, and the expenses incident thereto,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the mem-
bers elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Grier,
Healy,
Hill,
Howard,
Huckins,

Mr. Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of certain deputy State officers and clerks,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. S. T. Parsons moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on ways and means, with instructions to amend the bill, so as to equalize the pay of all the deputies;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Schars, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | M. Spalding, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Brownell, | Lockwood, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mead, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Warner, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Randall, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Emerson, | Mr. Sexton, | Mr. Van Vleet, |
| McKernan, | R. B. Smith, | Wilson, |
| S. T. Parsons, | Sweezy, | Wright, |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to re-transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the buildings thereof, and erecting other buildings,

Which the House amended as follows:

1. By striking out in line 5, section 1, the words "general fund," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "swamp land interest fund."

2. By adding to section one, the words: "*Provided, If* there shall not be found unappropriated in said swamp land interest fund, moneys sufficient to meet the above appropriation for the year 1868, then there is hereby appropriated from the general fund, a sum sufficient to meet the deficiency, which shall be passed to the credit of the said Asylum fund."

3. By striking out, in the third and fourth lines of section two, the words "incorporated in the State tax, and levied and collected in addition to all other State taxes, provided by law for the year 1867, and when so collected shall be," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "transferred from the swamp land interest fund, and."

4. By striking out in the seventh, eighth and ninth lines of section five, the words "incorporated in the State tax for the year 1867, and levied and collected in addition to all other

taxes provided for by law for said year, and when so collected shall be," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "transferred from the swamp land interest fund, and;"

And to inform the House that the Senate has non-concurred in the amendments made by the House.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. L. Smith moved that the House recede from its amendments;

Which motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. L. Smith, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | R. B. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Huckins, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mallet, | Sweezy, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Funston, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Grier, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Beall, | King-bury, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Mason, | O. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Dussean, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Howard, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Jenness, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Jewell, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| J. H. Jones, | Schars, | |

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Mr. White moved that there be a committee of conference appointed to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate, on the disagreement of the two Houses;

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed as such committee, Messrs White, Wilcox and Shetterly.

Senate bill No. 217, entitled

A bill to enlarge the boundaries of union school district of the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvin, | Lockwood, | Swift, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | White, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Howard, | Mr. Mason, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Kedzie, | Newcombe, | O. O. Smith, |
| Lovell, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Mallet, | Sexton, | Wright, |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill to provide for holding the circuit courts in case of the death, resignation, removal, absence or inability of the circuit judge,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spanliding, |
| A. S. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Lockwood, | Swift, |
| Corey, | McCutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | White, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | Randall, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Schara, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | | |

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NAYS.

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|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Howard, | Mr. Newcombe, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Kedzie, | W. H. Osborn, | O. C. Smith, |
| Lovell, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Mallet, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Mason, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Jackson,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Hill, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Locke, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Lockwood, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | Miles, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Glavin, | Robinson, | Speaker, 60 |

NAYS.

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|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Howard, | Mr. Mason, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Kedzie, | Newcombe, | C. O. Smith, |
| Lovell, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Fleet, |
| Mallet, | Sexton, | Wright, 12 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 214, entitled

A bill to authorize the Governor of the State of Michigan, to seize lands to be used by the United States for light-house purposes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Huckins, | L. Smith, |

Boies,
Bontna,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,
Grier,

Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Miles,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweetser,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Howard,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,

Mr. Newcombe,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
Sexton,

Mr. Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
Van Fleet,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Schars,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 151, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Gun Plains, in the county of Allegan, to raise by tax a sufficient sum of money to pay arrearages due from the township for bounties to volunteers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
Canniff,

Mr. Grier,
Healy,
Hill,
Huckins,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury

Mr. Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stevens,

Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,

Locke,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Miles,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,

Sweeney,
Swift,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Wells,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Howard,
Jenness,
Kedzie,
Levell,
Mallet,
Mason,

Mr. Newcombe,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
Sexton,
Shetterly,
Slayton,

Mr. O. O. Smith,
Spence,
Taylor,
Van Vleet,
White,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Healy,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 196, entitled

A bill to authorize the sale of certain lands, belonging to the State, in the city of Jackson,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,

Mr. Grier,
Healy,
Hill,
Huckins,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Miles,
Newell,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Wells,

Emerson,
Emery,
Fellows,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,

L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,

White,
Willard
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker, 60

NAYS.

Mr. Howard,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
Mallet,

Mr. Mason,
Newcombe,
W. H. Osborn,
Saxton,

Mr. Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
Van Vleet,
Wright, 12

Title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Whereas, The special joint committee, to whom was referred the investigation of the laws under which the Detroit and Milwaukee railroad company are exercising the powers of a corporate body;

And whereas, Said committee have reported to this Legislature that in the opinion of said committee, and also in the opinion of the Attorney General, the said railroad company is exercising said powers *without authority of law*; therefore,

Resolved, By the Senate, (the House concurring.) That the Attorney General be and is hereby instructed, if in his opinion the said railroad company have not a valid charter, to institute such legal proceedings as will test the validity of the act and acts of the Legislature, under which the said railroad company claim authority for the exercising of the powers now used and exercised by them;

Which has passed the Senate, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. E. Spalding,
The House concurred in the adoption of the resolution.
The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of the Senate, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives, be and they are hereby authorized and requested to compile and prepare for publication, and make indexes and superintend the publication of the journals and documents of the present Legislature, and when completed and certified to by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate shall be entitled to, and receive for his services the sum of four hundred dollars; and the Clerk of the House shall be entitled to, and receive for his services the sum of five hundred dollars;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out, in line 13, the word "four," and inserting the word "five," in lieu thereof;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the resolution by the Senate.

The resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Senate bill No. 210, entitled

A bill to create a fire commission in the city of Detroit,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect, voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| S. A. Brown, | R. Jones, | Spence, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Sweeney, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Lockwood, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Lovell, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Mallet, | Walker, |
| Fellows, | McCutcheon, | Warner, |
| Funston, | Mead, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Miles, | White, |
| Glavin, | Newcombe, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Hill, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | S. T. Parsons, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | L. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Fenton, | Sexton, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Shepherd, | Wright, |
| Healy, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Swift,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to regulate insurance companies and their agents, associations, partnerships, and individuals doing business and making insurance upon the life of domestic animals, and against loss by accident, disease or theft of such animals, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Fenton moved to lay the bill on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Wilcox moved to refer the bill to the committee on State affairs;

Pending which motion,

On motion of Mr. Ball,

The bill was referred to the committees on State affairs, and judiciary, jointly.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 410, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Emmet from the first judicial circuit, and attach the same to the thirteenth judicial circuit;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the title of the same, by striking out the word "first," and inserting "third," in lieu thereof;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.]

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the Senate.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The House took a recess until half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House, House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 266, of the session laws of the year 1865, being an act to authorize any of the townships and cities of the counties of St. Clair, Lapeer, Genesee and Shiawassee, to pledge their credit in aid of the construction of a railroad from Port Huron to some point on the line of the Detroit and Milwaukee railroad, in Shiawassee county,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by adding the following to stand as a part of section 1:

“But the city of Flint, in the county of Genesee, is hereby authorized and empowered to deliver the bonds voted by the electors of said city, under and by virtue of the provisions of the act to which this amendatory, in aid of said railroad company, as soon as the road bed thereof shall be completed in readiness for the iron through said city to its point of intersection with the track of the Flint and Holly railroad;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Van Vleet moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Barber | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Mallet, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Bonine, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mead, | Sweeney, |
| C. R. Brown, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Canniff, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | White, |
| Fellows, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. W. H. Osborn, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Spence, |
| Huckins, | | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to provide for repairing and finishing the State Prison, and for making certain additions thereto;

2. Senate bill No. 259, entitled

A bill to repeal section 12, of act No. 304, laws of 1865, entitled "an act to encourage the erection and support of water-power manufactories," approved March 21, 1865;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the

Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State Prison.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House, that Messrs. Jerome, Olisbee and Bitely, have been appointed on the part of the Senate, as members of the committee of conference, upon the disagreement between the two Houses, on Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the buildings thereof, and erecting other buildings.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Mead,

The 45th rule of the House was suspended during the remainder of the session.

The committee on internal improvements, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 261, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "an act to provide

for the preservation of the Muskegon river improvement, and for other purposes," approved March 13, 1867,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Deane,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 264, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 117 of the compiled laws, entitled "of courts held by justices of the peace,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committees on the judiciary and State affairs, jointly:

The committees on the judiciary and State affairs, jointly, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to regulate insurance companies and their agents, associations, partnerships and individuals doing business and making insurance upon the life of domestic animals, and against loss by accident, disease or theft of such animals, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending

that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN,

Chairman Com. on State Affairs.

E. C. WALKER,

Chairman Com. on the Judiciary.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

On motion of Mr. W. G. Brown,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the joint committee.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Lovell, | Schars, |
| Boies, | Mallet, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Mason, | Slayton, |
| Brownell, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | McKernan, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mead, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Newcombe, | Sweezey, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Hill, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Pearl, | Speaker, 57 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Mr. Emerson, | Mr. Jenness, | Mr. Kingsbury, |
| Funston, | J. H. Jones, | Tompkins, |
| Huckins, | | 7 |

Title agreed to.

The committee on State Prison, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on the State Prison, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to provide for repairing and finishing the State Prison, and making additions thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. H. JONES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Jones,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. A. S. Brown, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 395, entitled

A bill to amend act number 200, of the session laws of 1850, entitled "an act to vacate the south half of block No. 6, in the village of Lawrence, in the county of Van Buren;"

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. F. Parsons, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Parmelee, |
| Ball, | Howard,* | Pearl, |
| Barber, | Huckins, | Randall, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | Robinson, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | Schars, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Lovell, | Smetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mallet, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Taylor, |

Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Fenton,
Funston,
Glavin,

Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,

Tompkins,
Wells,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,

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NAYS.

Mr. Speaker,

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Title agreed to.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 38, entitled

A bill to authorize union school district No. 1, of Wyoming and Georgetown, counties of Kent and Ottawa, to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing a school building,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Emerson,
Fenton,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,

Mr. Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Mr. Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Willard,
Woodward,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Benedict,
Chauvin,

Mr. Dusseau,
Howard,
Huckins,

Mr. Newcombe,
Wilson,
Wright,

9

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize certain persons to administer oaths, and take acknowledgment of deeds, and other instruments in writing,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Camburn,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,
Hill,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
Kedzie,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Miles,
Murray,
Newell,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Mr. Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Walker,
Willard,
Woodward,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Benedict,
Chauvin,
Dusseau,

Mr. Howard,
Huckins,
Newcombe,

Mr. Wilson,
Wright,
Speaker,

10

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 250, entitled

A bill to dispose of certain lands in Jackson county, bid off by the State for drainage taxes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Robinson, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Scharr, |
| Boies, | Jennens, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Sweezy, |
| Fenton, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Newcombe, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Wilson, |
| Chauvin, | Huckins, | Wright, |

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Title and preamble agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. G. Brown,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 240, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Lansing to raise by tax or borrow money, to aid in the erection of College buildings for the Michigan Female College,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Randall, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Robinson, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Schars, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McCutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canburn, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Mickle, | Stevens, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Sweezy, |
| Fenton, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | 59 |

NAYS.*

| | | |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Newcombe, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Wilson, |
| Chauvin, | Huckins, | Wright, |
| | | 9 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to authorize the superintendents of the poor, of the county of Allegan, to provide for the construction of necessary buildings for the protection of the poor of said county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|-----------|------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Randall, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Schars, |

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Sexton, |
| Brownell, | Kedzie, | Shepherd, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | L. Smith, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Spence, |
| Dunlap, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Fenton, | Murray, | Sweezy, |
| Funston, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Gallup, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Speaker, 60 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Newcombe, |
| Benedict, | Howard, | Wilson, |
| Chauvin, | Huckins, | Wright, 9 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Packard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The committee on banks and incorporations, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 263, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act to incorporate the city of Jackson, approved February 14, 1867,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 259, entitled

A bill to amend section 12, of act No. 304, laws of 1865, entitled an act to encourage the erection and support of water-power manufactories,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to authorize the taxation of shares of stockholders in banks,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on ways and means:

The committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 257, entitled

A bill to amend sections 3, 15 and 17, of chapter 17; also, section 91, of chapter 73; also, section 33, of chapter 131, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, of chapter 18, being sections 784, 796, 798, 943, 949, 950, 951, 2163 and 4476, of the compiled laws, relating to the assessment and collection of certain taxes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WILLIAM WARNER, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Warner,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to compel railroad companies to provide their passenger coaches with aprons between the same, for protection to passengers, and other purposes,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. S. T. Parsons moved to amend the bill by striking out section 2;

Pending which motion,

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on internal improvements.

Senate bill No. 230, entitled

A bill for the acceptance of the donation of public lands, made by act of Congress, approved July 3, 1866, to the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction of a harbor and ship canal at Portage Lake, Keweenaw Point, Lake Superior,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Emerson moved to amend the bill by adding thereto the following: "*Provided*, That none of said lands shall be located in said county of Ontonagon, until the completion of said harbor and ship canal;"

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Greenfield, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Healy, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Holt, | C. C. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Brownell, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Corey, | McCatocheon, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dussean, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Fenton, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Glavin, | Sexton, | Speaker, 57 |

NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. W. H. Osborn, |
| W. G. Brown, | Jenness, | Randall, |
| Chauvin, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| Funston, | R. Jones, | Stevens, |
| Hill, | Mickley, | Wilson, 15 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McKernan,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of Masonic lodges, approved March 10, 1865, and to add a new section thereto;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 447, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the corporate authorities of the city of Ann Arbor, in issuing bonds, or certificates of indebtedness, to aid in the repair and improvement of the observatory building, in said city, and to provide for the payment thereof;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 258, entitled

A bill to authorize the planting and protection of shade and ornamental trees in incorporated villages;

2. Senate bill No. 111, entitled

A bill to authorize the judges of probate of the counties of Oakland and Cass, to appoint clerks, and to authorize the boards of supervisors of said counties to fix the compensation of such clerks;

Which have passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The Speaker also announced the following:

**SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1887. }**

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to re-transmit Senate bill No. 58, entitled

A bill to authorize the counties, townships and incorporated villages, of the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction and maintenance of wagon, gravel, cobble-stone, pounded stone and plank roads;

Which passed both Houses of the Legislature, and which was returned to the Senate without the approval of his Excellency the Governor, with his objections thereto;

And to inform the House that the Senate has passed said bill by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

I am also directed to transmit herewith, the message of the Governor accompanying the bills.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The following is the message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the President of the Senate:

I respectfully return to the Senate the following bills, without my approval:

First. An act to authorize townships and cities in the counties of Wayne, Washtenaw and Lenawee, to pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad from Detroit, by the way of Adrian and Morenci, to Fort Wayne;

Second. An act to authorize the cities, townships and incorporated villages of the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction and maintenance of wagon, gravel, cobble-stone, pounded stone and plank roads.

My objections to these bills are that they are of doubtful constitutionality, of bad policy, and inexpedient in practice, and which objections are more particularly set forth in my recent veto message made to your Honorable body, as well as to the House of Representatives, on the subject of extending municipal aid for the construction of railroads, plank roads, &c., to which I most respectfully refer you.

The second bill, (Senate bill, No. 58,) now returned, is also objectionable for its great ambiguity; but, to my mind, is nothing more nor less than an enabling act to aid private corporations. It is also still further objectionable, because it authorizes a majority to impose a tax to aid in the construction of a work beyond the limits of the municipality in which it is to be raised.

HENRY H. ORAPO,

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House reconsidered the vote by which the bill was passed.

Mr. Newcombe moved that there be a call of the House;
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and the following members were reported absent without leave:

Messrs. Boies, Crossman, Huckins, Miles, Schars and Rookwood.

Mr. Kedzie asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Crossman.

On motion of Mr. Fenton,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Miles at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

Mr. Miles was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. Mead moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Huckins at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

Mr. Huckins was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. L. Smith moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. R. B. Smith moved to reconsider the vote;

Which motion prevailed.

The motion to dispense with all further proceedings under the call was then agreed to.

The question recurring upon the passage of Senate bill No. 58, entitled

A bill to authorize the counties, cities, townships and incorporated villages, of the State of Michigan, to aid in the con-

struction and maintenance of wagon, gravel, cobble-stone, pounded stone and plank roads,

The objections of his Excellency, the Governor, to the contrary notwithstanding,

The bill was passed, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Randall, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Howard, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | C. O. Smith, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Mallet, | Sweezy, |
| Deane, | Mason, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Taylor, |
| Dusseau, | Mead, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Bellows, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | White, |
| Glavin, | F. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |

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NAYS.

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|------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. McOutcheon, | Mr. Spence, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Eck, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |
| Holt, | Parker, | Wright, |
| J. H. Jones, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Levell, | | |

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Senate bill No. 170, entitled

A bill to organize the townships of Allegan and Otsego, to pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a gravel

road, from the village of Allegan to the villages of Otsego and Plainwell, in the county of Allegan,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. White,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 231, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Walton, in Eaton county, to raise money by tax, or to borrow money, to build a gravel road from the village of Olivet, to some point on the Peninsular railroad,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Miles,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 220, entitled

A bill to regulate the size of apple barrels,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. W. H. Osborn,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 303, entitled

A bill in relation to commercial paper,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Kedzie moved that the bill be laid on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Beall, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Benedict, | Lockwood, | Spence, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Sweeney, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | Parker, | Walker, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |

Glavin,
Haven,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,

Pearl,
Robinson,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,

White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Ball,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dusseau,

Mr. Emerson,
Fenton,
R. Jones,
Kedsie,
Mallet,
McOutcheon,
Mickley,

Mr. Murray,
Newell,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Van Vleet,
Wilson,
Wright, 21

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take effect, on the 12th day of May next.

Senate bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to authorize the taxation of the shares of stockholders in banks,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Newcombe moved to amend the bill, by adding thereto a new section, to stand as section 8, as follows:

"Sec. 8. Every individual banker doing business under the laws of this State, is hereby required to declare upon oath, before the assessor, the amount of capital invested in such banking business, and each one hundred dollars of such capital, for the purpose of this act and for the purpose of taxation, shall be held and regarded as one individual share in such business, and such shares are hereby declared to be personal property. If such banker have partners, he shall declare upon oath before the assessor, the number of shares held by each of them in such banking business, ascertained as above provided, and the shares so held by any partner shall be included in the valuation of his taxable property in the assessment of all taxes levied in the town, school district or ward where such individual banker is

located, and not elsewhere; and such individual banker shall pay the same and make the amount so paid a charge in his accounts with such partners; and if such individual banker have no partner, he shall be held to be sole owner of all the shares in such business of banking, and the same shall be included in the valuation of his personal property in the assessment of all taxes levied in the town, school district or ward where his bank is located, and not elsewhere;"

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Newcombe moved to amend the bill by inserting the following, to stand as section 7:

"Sec. 7. Any bank or banking association organized under the laws of this State, or of the United States, which shall elect to pay, and shall pay to the State Treasurer, in the month of July in each year, a specific tax of one per cent. on the capital thereof, shall be thereupon relieved, and the owners of individual shares thereof shall be relieved, from all other assessments under the provisions of this act, for taxes on its capital, or on the individual shares thereof, for the year then next ensuing;"

Which motion prevailed.

The question recurring upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Randall, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | Slayton, |
| W. G. Brown. | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Walker, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wilson, |

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|----------|----------------|-----------|----|
| Glavin, | Parker, | Woodward, | |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, | |
| Hill, | S. T. Parsons, | Wright, | |
| Hopkins, | Parmelee, | Speaker, | 54 |

NAYS.

| | | | |
|----------------|---------------|------------------|----|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. O. O. Smith, | |
| Ball, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, | |
| Benedict, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, | |
| Bonine, | Mallet, | Stevens, | |
| A. S. Brown, | Mason, | Sweezy, | |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Swift, | |
| Fellows, | Mead, | Taylor, | |
| Haven, | Pearl, | Warner, | |
| Holt, | Schars, | Wells, | |
| Howard, | Sexton, | White, | |
| Jenness, | | | 81 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 216, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "an act to provide for the incorporation of Masonic lodges," approved March 10, 1865;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 179, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled "an act relative to the issuing of false, fraudulent and part-paid shares of the stock of railroad companies, and to repeal sections 4 and 5, of act No. 229, of the session laws of 1863," approved March 20, 1865;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on internal improvements.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 267, entitled

A bill to provide a tax for the expenses of the State government;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The committee on roads and bridges, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on roads and bridges to whom was referred Senate bill No. 161, entitled

A bill to provide for the location of the Grand Rapids and Mackinaw wagon road, for military and postal services, and to secure the construction thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Senate bill No. 264, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 117, of the compiled laws, entitled of courts held by justices of the peace,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Jennings, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| Boies, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mallet, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. B. Brown, | Mason, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Funston, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Gallup, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Glavin, | Packard, | White, |

Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,

Parker,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Canniff,
Camburn,

Mr. Dusseau,
Wilcox,

Mr. Woodman,

5

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 107, entitled

A bill relative to judgments in criminal cases,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the
members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,

Mr. Howard,
Huckins,
Jeanness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Mallet,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Robinson,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Canniff,
Camburn,

Mr. Dusseau,
Kedzie,

Mr. Wilson,
Wright,

6

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 286, entitled

A bill relative to the imprisonment of defendants in civil suits, in certain cases,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Sehars, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | O. O. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mallet, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | McOutcheon, | Spence, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Eck, | Mead, | Stevens, |
| Fellows, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Funston, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Gallup, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Glavin, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Fleet, |
| Grier, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Haven, | Packard, | White, |
| Healy, | Parker, | Willard, |
| Hill, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Holt, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Howard, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Mr. Canniff, | Mr. Dusseau, | Mr. Woodman, |
| Camburn, | Wilcox, | |

5

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to authorize the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw railroad company to acquire rights of way in certain cases, and granting right of way to said company over the unimproved lands belonging to this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Mickley, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Glavin, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Huckins,

1

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 234, entitled

A bill to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals prosecuting the express business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|-------------|--------------|----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |

Benine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Holt,

Lookwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
McKernan,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,

P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Huckins,

1

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 263, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to incorporate
the city of Jackson, approved February 14, 1857,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the mem-
bers elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Funston,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Rockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
McKernan,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spaulding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,

Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Holt,

S. T. Parsons,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,

White,
Willard,
Wilson,]
Woodward,
Wright,
Speaker, 69

NAYS.

Mr. Huckins,

1

Title agreed to:

On motion of Mr. White,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Pearl, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the committee on supplies be and they are hereby directed to report to this House the amount of stationery furnished to each committee, said report to be made in the proper order of business on Monday morning;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Randall asked unanimous consent to move to take from the table House bill No. 845, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 273, of the session laws of 1865, being an act to amend section 821, it being section 89, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers;

Objected to by Mr. S. T. Parsons.

House bill No. 261, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "an act to provide for the preservation of the Muskegon river improvement, and for other purposes," approved March 18, 1867,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Holt moved to lay the bill on the table;

Which motion did not prevail:

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,

Mr. Huckins,
Jenness,

Mr. C. O. Smith
L. Smith,

Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Deane,
Eck,
Emery,
Fenton,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Hill,
Howard,

Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mason,
McOutcheom,
Mead,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Sexton,
Slayton,

R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. W. G. Brown, Mr. Kedzie,
Dusseau, Mallett,
Fellows, McKernan,
Funston, Newell,
Haven, Packard,
Heally, Parker,
Holt, S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Randall,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Stevens,
Wells,
White,

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of suits for a divorce,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 161, entitled

A bill to provide for the location of the Grand Rapids and Mackinaw wagon road, and to secure the construction thereof,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was laid on the table.

The committee on banks and incorporations, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 216, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of masonic lodges, approved March 10, 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
Corey,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Dussean,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Glavin,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hopkins,

Mr. Howard,
Huckins,
J. H. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Murray,
Newcombe,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
F. Parsons,
Robinson,
Schara,
Sexton,

Mr. Shepherd,
Slayton,
C. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Van Fleet,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

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EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

Mr. A. S. Brown, by unanimous consent, presented the petition of Samuel G. Mather, Rufus Tilton, E. E. Chadwick, Chas. W. Fisk and 84 others, citizens of the village of Lawrence, in Van Buren county, asking for the passage of House bill No. 895, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 200, of the session laws of 1850, entitled an act to vacate the south half of block No. 6, in the village of Lawrence, in the county of Van Buren.

On motion of Mr. A. S. Brown,

The petition was laid on the table.

The committee on State affairs, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

A bill to amend section 18, of chapter 175, of the compiled laws, relative to fees of constables in civil cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. W. G. Brown, •

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 215, of the laws of 1865, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing, approved March 18, 1865;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect; and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title.

Mr. Kedzie moved that the bill be placed on the order of third reading;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No 267, entitled

A bill making appropriations to enable the State Board of Education to purchase and complete a building for the use of the Normal school;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the

Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title.

Mr. Willard moved that the bill be referred to the committee on ways and means;

Pending which motion,

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The bill was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 184, entitled

A bill to regulate telegraph companies and their agents, and individuals doing telegraph business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following joint resolution:

Senate manuscript joint resolution, entitled

Joint resolution to authorize the preparation of a history of the part borne by the State of Michigan, in the war for the suppression of the great rebellion;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 464, entitled

A bill to organize young men's Christian associations;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the title of the same so as to read: "A bill to authorize the organization of young men's Christian associations;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the Senate.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 250, of the session laws of 1861, and to add a new section thereto, relative to juvenile offenders;

2. House bill No. 425, entitled

A bill to authorize the correction of the plat of the village of Burr Oak;

3. House bill No. 445, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Menominee, in the county of Menominee, to establish and maintain a free ferry, across the Menominee river;

4. House bill No. 166, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 100, of the session laws of 1848, incorporating the Detroit and Saline plank road company, by adding a new section;

5. House bill No. 469, entitled

A bill to provide additional voting precincts, in the township of Tecumseh;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 408, entitled

A bill to authorize Edmund Burroughs to build a dam across Flat River, in the township of Vergennes, in Kent county;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 287, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled "an act for the incorporation of charitable societies," approved February 1855, as amended by an act entitled "an act to amend sections 1 and 4, of chapter 58, of the compiled laws," approved February 5, 1864, being section 1753, of the compiled laws;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

Mr. Taylor, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table the following resolution:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, (the Senate con-

ring), That the Secretary of State, be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to build, or cause to be built, a new st-house, in some proper place in the yard of the Capitol, for the use of the members and officers of the Legislature. Said building to be at least twenty-four feet square, one story high, to be built of wood, and to be finished so as not to exceed the cost of five hundred dollars, and to be completed by the first of December next;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 259, entitled

A bill to amend section 12, of act No. 304, laws of 1865, entitled "an act to encourage the erection and support of water-power manufactories," approved March 21, 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Pearl, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | Robinson, |
| Boies, | Huckins, | Schars, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Brownell, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Sweezey, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mallet, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Mason, | Van Vleet, |
| Dussseau, | McCutcheon, | Warner, |
| Eck, | McKernan, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Mead, | Willard, |
| Funston, | Miles, | Wilson, |
| Glavin, | Newell, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | L. D. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Haven, | F. Parsons, | Speaker, |

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Beall,
A. S. Brown,
Fellows,

Mr. Greenfield,
Howard,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,

Mr. Packard,
Stevens,
Woodman,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Schars,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 257, entitled

A bill to amend sections 3, 15 and 17, of chapter 17; also section 23, of chapter 73, also section 33, of chapter 131, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, of chapter 13, being sections 734, 796, 798, 948, 949, 950, 951, 2163 and 4476, of the compiled laws, relating to the assessment and collection of certain taxes,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Slayton,

The bill was amended, by striking out the word "ninety," in line 2, of recited section 23, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "twenty."

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emery,
Funston,
Glavin,

Mr. Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
McOutcheon,
Miles,
Murray,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. F. Parsons,
Robinson,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Warner,
Wells,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Kedsie, | Mr. Randall, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | Schars, |
| Bonine, | Mallet, | Shepherd, |
| Deane, | Mason, | Slayton, |
| Fellows, | McKernan, | R. B. Smith, |
| Greenfield, | Mead, | Stannard, |
| Grier, | Newell, | Stevens, |
| Haven, | Packard, | Sweezy, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Swift, |
| Jenness, | Pearl, | |

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Mr. Boies moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass the bill;

Which was withdrawn.

Senate joint resolution No. 11, entitled

Joint resolution in relation to a roll of honor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Schars, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kedsie, | Slayton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Corey, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Eck, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |
| Emery, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Fellows, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Funston, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Glavin, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Greenfield, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Grier, | Packard, | Willard, |
| Haven, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Randall, | Speaker, |

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,
On motion of Mr. Willard,

The title was amended by striking out the word "joint," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "concurrent."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

Senate bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to provide for repairing and finishing the State Prison, and for making certain additions thereto,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 470, entitled

A bill relative to murder in the first degree, and the penalty therefor,

Was read a third, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Mead moved to lay the bill on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Haven,

The bill was amended by striking out of line 1, section 2, the words, "or as accessory before the fact."

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Boies,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Emerson,
Emery,
Haven,
Jenness,

Mr. Kedzie,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mead,
Miles,
Packard,
Schars,
Shepherd,

Mr. E. Spalding,
Swezey,
Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Warner,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Bonine,
Brownell,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,

Mr. Healy,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,

Mr. S. T. Parsons,
Pearl,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,

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| Chauvin, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Locke, | Swift, |
| Dussseau, | Lovell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Mallet, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | Mason, | White, |
| Funston, | Murray, | Willard, |
| Glavin, | Newell, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Wright, 51 |

The committee on engrossment and enrollment submitted the following report:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills:

A bill to incorporate the village of Holland, in Ottawa county, into a city by the name of the city of Holland;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Farmington;

Also,

A bill to cause an act entitled an act to attach certain unorganized townships to the township of Helena, Antrim county, to take immediate effect;

Also,

A bill authorizing the levying of a certain bounty tax in the township of Onondaga, in the county of Ingham;

Also,

A bill making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School for the years 1867 and 1868;

Also,

A bill to provide for the improvement of the highway leading from the village of Lyons to the village of Muir, in the county of Ionia;

Also,

A bill to provide for the incorporation of slack water navigation companies, for the improvement of rivers in the counties of St. Joseph, Cass, Berrien and Cheboygan, and defining their powers and duties;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 113, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, it being an act to organize the Wayne County Farm for the benefit and support of the poor, into a school district;

Also,

A bill to authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Sanilac, Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan moneys, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson;

Also,

A bill to prevent fishing with seines and every kind of continuous nets, in the waters of the county of St. Joseph;

Also,

A bill to authorize and legalize a re-survey of the village plat of the village of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, and to authorize the recording of said village plat, in the office of the register of deeds of said county;

Also,

A bill to change the name of the Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind;

Also,

A bill to reimburse and compensate the German Christian Agricultural and Benevolent society for the construction of drains and ditches on the State swamp lands, in the county of Huron, by an appropriation of swamp lands therefor;

Also,

A bill to authorize the commissioners of highways to extend highways in certain cases, in the counties of Berrien and Muskegon;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 5, 19, 20, 24 and 26, of chapter 57, of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill to authorize school district No. 6, of the township of Marengo, in the county of Calhoun, to borrow money and issue bonds therefor, for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled "an act for the better protection of the public lands, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom," approved February 12, 1857, being section 5927, of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 8 and 38, of chapter 109, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 135, of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill authorize school district No. 5, of the township of Burr Oak, in the county of St. Joseph, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled "an act to amend section 26, chapter 101, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 3064, of compiled laws, relative to the sale of real estate of deceased persons," approved March 15, 1861;

Also,

A bill to prevent the sale of intoxicating drinks to students and minors, and to prevent their being permitted to play at games of chance where such drinks are sold;

Also,

A bill to change the name of the Michigan Asylum for the educating the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 4985 and 4994, of the compiled laws, being sections 12 and 21, of chapter 150, of said laws, and to add certain new sections to said chapter;

Also,

A bill to amend section 3119, of the compiled laws, so as to

make certain equitable interests in lands liable to levy and sale on execution.

G. W. SWIFT, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 218, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of certain State roads, and providing for the construction and improvement thereof;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

The committee on banks and incorporations, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 215, of the laws of 1865, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing, approved March 18, 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so

amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Emery,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 287, entitled

A bill to amend section 8, of an act entitled an act for the incorporation of charitable societies, approved Feb. 6, 1865, as amended by an act entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 4, of chapter 58, of the compiled laws, approved Feb. 5, 1864, being section 1758, of the compiled laws,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 184, entitled

A bill to regulate telegraph companies and their agents, and individuals doing telegraph business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on the judiciary:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 111, entitled

A bill to authorize the judge of probate in the counties of Oakland and Cass, to appoint clerks, and to authorize the board of supervisors of said counties to fix the compensation of such clerks,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. O. WALKER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Emery,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on agriculture:

The committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 258, entitled

A bill to authorize the planting and protection of shade and ornamental trees, in incorporated villages,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

O. H. FELLOWS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on internal improvements:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 179, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act relative to the issuing of false, fraudulent and part-paid shares of the stock of railroad companies, and to repeal sections 4 and 5, of act No. 229, of the session laws of 1863, approved March 20, 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Van Vleet,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on internal improvements:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was re-committed Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to compel railroad companies to provide their passenger coaches with aprons between the same, for protection to passengers, and for other purposes,

With instructions to amend the same, to suit the gentlemen from Kent,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, which they believe is according to the instructions of the House,

Recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAS. VAN VLEET, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Brownell,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Van Vleet,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading

Mr. Woodward, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table the enacting clause of House bill No. 113, entitled

A bill to authorize the district board of fractional school district No. 5, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The enacting clause of the bill was referred to the committee on local taxation.

Mr. McKernan, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Ingallston, in the county of Menominee;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | Jewell, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | J. H. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Brownell, | R. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingeby, | E. Spalding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mallet, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Sweeney, |
| Deane, | Mead, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Eck, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Emery, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | | |

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Glavin,
Healy,

Mr. Kedzie,
Lovell,

Mr. Packard,
Warner,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deane,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Brownell,

The House adjourned until Monday morning, at nine o'clock.

Lansing, Monday, March 25, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Weed.

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

By Mr. S. T. Parsons: remonstrance of the mayor and common council of the city of Lansing, against the passage of the bill revising the charter of said city.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The remonstrance was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend section 12, of chapter 12, of the compiled laws, in relation to highway commissioners,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. J. WOODMAN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. W. G. Brown,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on federal relations:

The committee on federal relations to whom was referred

Joint resolution on the state of the union,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the resolution when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. E. MICKLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the resolution by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The resolution was laid on the table.

By the committee on education:

The committee on education, to whom was referred Senate manuscript joint resolution, entitled

Joint resolution to authorize the preparation of a history of the part borne by the State of Michigan, in the war for the suppression of the great rebellion,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same to the back House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE WILLARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willard,

The joint resolution was placed on the order of third reading.

By the committee on local taxation:

The committee on local taxation, to whom was referred

A bill to authorize the district board of fractional school

district number five, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize fractional school district number five, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

HENRY H. HOLT, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mason,

The House concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

The committee of conference on Senate bill No. 248, recommend that the House recede from the several amendments adopted by the House to the same, and concur in the following amendments to the said bill, viz: By adding at the end of section 1, the following: "which said sums shall be incorporated in the State tax for the year 1867, and be levied and collected in addition to all other taxes provided by law for said year, and be passed to the credit of the Asylum fund;" also, by adding an additional section to said bill, as follows:

Sec. 5. The State Treasurer is hereby authorized and required to charge the swamp land interest fund, and credit the same to the general fund, all moneys that now stand to the credit of said swamp land interest fund, unappropriated, by an act entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner

to be known as the swamp land State road commissioner, approved March — 1867.

N. H. BITELY,
Chairman Senate Committee.
THOMAS WHITE,
Chairman House Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. White,

The report was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 25, 1867 }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to incorporate the city of Holland;

Also,

An act making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School, for the years 1867 and 1868;

Also,

An act to authorize school district number five, of the township of Burr Oak, in the county of St. Joseph, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Farmington;

Also,

An act to amend sections 5, 19, 20, 24 and 26, of chapter 57, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to authorize the commissioners of highways to extend highways in certain cases in the counties of Berrien and Muskegon;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 118, of the session laws of the year of our Lord 1861, it being an act to organize the Wayne

county farm, for the benefit and support of the poor, into a school district;

Also,

An act to cause an act entitled an act to attach certain unorganized townships to the township of Helena, Antrim county and an act to authorize the city of Battle Creek, and the townships in the counties of Calhoun, Kalamazoo and Barry, to raise by tax and donate money to the agricultural and mechanical association at Battle Creek, to take immediate effect;

Also,

An act to authorize the several townships of this State to raise money by tax, or to borrow money, to build or repair bridges;

Also,

An act to provide for the improvement of the highway leading from the village of Lyons to the village of Muir, in the county of Ionia;

Also,

An act to amend section 1, of an act entitled "an act for the better protection of the public lands, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom," approved February 12, 1857, being section 5927, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to reimburse and compensate the German Christian agricultural and benevolent society for the construction of drains and ditches on the State swamp lands, in the county of Huron, by appropriation of swamp lands therefor;

Also,

An act to amend sections 8 and 38, of chapter 109, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 185 of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to amend section 3119, of the compiled laws, so as to make as an equitable interests in lands liable to levy and sale on execution;

Also,

An act to authorize school district No. 6, of the township of Marengo, in the county of Calhoun, to borrow money and issue bonds therefor, for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

An act to authorize and legalize a re-survey of the village plat of the village of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, and to authorize the recording of said village plat in the office of the register of deeds of said county;

Also,

An act to provide for the incorporation of slack water navigation companies, for the improvement of rivers in the counties of St. Joseph, Cass, Berrien and Cheboygan, and defining their powers and duties;

Also,

An act to change the name of the Michigan Asylum for the educating the deaf and dumb, and the blind;

Also,

An act to prevent fishing with seines and every kind of continuous nets, in the waters of the county of St. Joseph;

Also,

An act authorizing and requiring the levying and collecting of a certain county tax in the township of Onondaga, in the county of Ingham;

Also,

An act to prevent the sale of intoxicating drinks to students and minors, and to prevent their being permitted to play at games of chance where such drinks are sold;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section 26, chapter 101, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2064, of compiled laws, relative to the sale of real estate of deceased persons, approved March 15, 1861;

Also,

An act to amend sections 4985 and 4994, of the compiled laws, being sections 12 and 21, of chapter 150, of said laws, and to add certain new sections to said chapter;

Also,

An act to incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 457, entitled

A bill making appropriation to build two houses, a kitchen, bakery and laundry, for the State Reform School, and for warming the main building with steam;

2. House bill No. 471, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Houghton;

3. House bill No. 411, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Cheboygan from the first judicial circuit, and to attach the same to the eleventh judicial circuit;

4. House bill No. 324, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Marquette, approved February 10, 1859;

In the passage of which, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 333, entitled

A bill to repeal section 5, of chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act 95, of the session laws of 1849, and act 323, of the session laws of 1850, being section 4448, of the compiled laws, relative to executions,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by adding at the end of section 1, the following:

“And a new section is hereby added to said chapter 131 of compiled laws, to stand as section fifty-five, (55,) and to read as follows:

“Sec. 55. Executions issued upon judgments that have been or may be rendered against husband and wife, in any cause or suit where the husband and wife has been or shall be joined as defendant with his wife, to recover damages for any tort or wrong committed by the wife only, nor shall the property or effects of the husband be taken or seized in satisfaction of any such judgment or execution, nor shall he be liable for the payment of any such judgment; and the attorney, clerk or court issuing any such execution, shall endorse thereon a direction to the sheriff to collect the same from the property and effects of the wife only.”

The Senate has also amended the title by inserting before “chapter,” in the first line, the words “chapter 131 of the compiled laws, being;” and after executions, in the last line, add the words, “and to add to said chapter 131 of the compiled laws, a new section, to stand as section fifty-five;”

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Alexander, | Huckins, | Randall, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Schars, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | Sexton, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Shepherd, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Shetterly, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Slayton, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Mallett, | E. Spalding, |
| Coorey, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Dunlap, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |
| Eck, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Emery, | Miles, | Taylor, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Funston, | Newcombe, | Van Fleet, |
| Greenfield, | Newell, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Heally, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Packard, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Parker, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | S. T. Parsons, | Speaker, 69 |

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Mr. R. Jones, 1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 372, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties,

approved Feb. 15, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended said bill as follows:

1. By striking out "19th," in line 3, section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof, "15th;"

2. By striking out the word "three," in line 6, section 1, and inserting the word "six," in lieu thereof; also, by striking out the word "and," at the end of said line;

3. By inserting after the word "nineteen," the words, "twenty, twenty-one and twenty-two;"

4. By striking out of section 4, all after the word "county," in the 16th line;

5. By inserting after the word "company," in line 7, section 5, the words, "and no stock company shall issue any policy until the full amount of one hundred thousand dollars shall have been paid in by the stockholders, and invested or held in cash by said company;"

6. By striking out in line 9, of section 18, the words "one-third more than," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "twice;"

7. By striking out the word "twice," in line 12, of section 18, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "three times;"

8. By inserting after the word "company," in line 7, section 19, the words "guilty of any participation therein;"

9. By inserting after the word "pretenses," in line 13, of section 19, the words "designedly, with intent to defraud or cheat the person paying such consideration;"

10. By inserting after the word "pretenses," in line 14, of section 19, the words "designedly, with intent to defraud or cheat another;"

11. By adding at the end of section 19, the words, "*Provided, That the said company may proceed with its business, receiving money and issuing policies, whenever the circuit judge for the judicial district where the office of said company is located, shall certify from proof adduced before him, either that such*

publication was by mistake, or that the directors, officers or agents making the same, have been dismissed from the service of the said company, and whenever also, the said company shall publish such true statement of its affairs as the said circuit judge shall direct;"

12. By adding three new sections to the bill, to stand as sections 20, 21 and 22, as follows:

Sec. 20. If any mutual insurance company organized or to be organized under this act, or the act or acts of which this is amendatory, shall not, within sixty days after the Secretary of State shall have given the notice required by section 12, of act No. 262, of the session laws of 1859, pay up and discharge all outstanding claims against such company for losses by fire, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to file a petition in the circuit court for any county where such company has transacted business, either in vacation or term time, stating that the sixty days within which such company was required to wind up its business have expired, and that there are outstanding claims against such company for losses by fire, a copy of which said petition shall be published for three successive weeks in a public newspaper printed in such county, or in a daily newspaper printed in the city of Detroit.

Sec. 21. At any time after such publication, the Secretary of State may appear in said court, in person or by counsel, and move for the appointment of a receiver for said company; and said company may also be heard, and upon such hearing, the report of such company filed in the office of the Secretary of State, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated, and of the liability of such company, unless such company shall show that they have since paid and discharged the liabilities; and if upon the hearing thereof, it shall appear to such court that the statements in such petition are materially true, the said court shall appoint a receiver for such company, who shall be and hereby is empowered to take possession of all books and papers and personal property of said company, and shall ascertain the amount due from said company for losses by fire on

property insured, and shall at once proceed to assess upon all of the stockholders in such company such sums of money, according to the amount and class of their insurance, stock or interest in such company, and paid up assessments, as will in the aggregate, be sufficient to pay all the losses and liabilities of said company; and upon payment of such assessment, the said stockholders shall be discharged of and from all former assessments made by said company. And it shall be the duty of said receiver to give notice of such assessment by publishing the same in any daily newspaper printed in the city of Detroit, for three successive weeks; and in case any stockholder so assessed as aforesaid shall neglect for thirty days after such publication, to pay the amount of such assessment to said receiver, he may sue the same in any court of competent jurisdiction, in an action of debt or assumpsit, in his own name as receiver of said company, and shall be entitled to recover the amount of such assessment upon proof of his appointment as receiver, that the assessment was made by him as such receiver, and that the defendant was a stockholder in said company, or was insured therein and liable to assessment.

Sec. 22. Such receiver shall keep an accurate account of all moneys or other property received by him, and shall pay over all moneys by him collected, and the proceeds of all personal property *pro rata* upon said losses, after deducting therefrom such sums as the court making such apportionment may deem reasonable for his service and expenses. The court making such appointment may also require such receiver to give a bond with sufficient sureties, in such penal sum as such court shall determine, which said bond shall run to the people of the State of Michigan, and be conditional for the faithful discharge of his duties as such receiver; and said court may from time to time require said receiver to make a report, and upon the coming in of his final report, showing a full and faithful performance of such trust, may discharge him from all further liability;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and

has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Holt moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Sexton, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | C. O. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith; |
| Canniff, | Mallet, | E. Spalding, |
| Chauvin, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Deane, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Dunlap,] | McKernan, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Sweezey, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Fenton, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | White, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Holt, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | |

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| Mr. Eck, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Wilson, | 8 |
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On motion of Mr. Wilcox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 207, entitled

A bill to establish a board of public works in and for the city of Detroit;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend section 1, by striking out all after the enacting clause, down to line 10, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

That the common council of the city of Detroit is hereby authorized and required to elect by ballot, on the third Tuesday of the month of May next ensuing, or at a regular meeting thereof to be held as soon as conveniently may be thereafter, six persons, who shall constitute a board of public works in and for the city of Detroit; and such election shall be as follows, that is to say: Each member of said council, present at any meeting aforesaid, shall vote for three persons, and for three persons solely; and the six persons receiving the highest number of votes, shall be declared elected, in case that number shall be voted for; but if that number shall not be voted for, then so many as shall be voted for, shall be declared elected; and thereupon, said council shall proceed to choose so many other persons as shall be required to complete the number of said board.

Two of the persons thus chosen, shall hold their office as members of said board for the term of one year, and two for two years, and two for three years, commencing on the first Monday of July, 1867.

It shall be the duty of the city clerk for the city of Detroit, to notify, without unnecessary delay, the persons elected as aforesaid of the fact of their election; and said board, as soon as convenient thereafter, and before entering upon its other

duties, shall determine by lot the period for which each of said members is to serve in the capacity of a member of that body.

Also, amend line 10, section 1, by inserting after the word "these," the following: "persons so chosen;"

2. Amend line 2, section 2, by striking out the word "six," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three;"

3. Also amend the same section, (2,) by striking out all after the word "appointment," in line 2, to the word "all," in line 4;

4. Amend line 4, section 4, by striking out the words, "the judge of;"

5. Also amend the body of the bill by adding thereto a new section, to stand as section 37, as follows:

Sec. 37. All limitations to the amount which may be expended in any one year in the city of Detroit, for the purposes of paying, imposed by existing laws, be and the same are hereby repealed;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Warner moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Boies,
A. S. Brown,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,

Mr. J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McOntocheon,
Mickley,
Murray,
Newell,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Sweezey,
Swift,
Taylor,

Emerson,
Emery,
Funston.
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Haven,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,

L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Tompkins,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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Mr. Benedict,
Dusseau,

Mr. Shetterly,
O. O. Smith,

Mr. Wilson,

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On motion of Mr. Warner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill relative to liens of mechanics and others in Lenawee county;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from Birchville to Chesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes to aid in the construction of the same;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following:

1. House joint resolution No. 25, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land, to Alexander Wattles, Jr., of Troy, Oakland county, Michigan;

2. House bill No. 454, entitled

A bill to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of roads;

3. House bill No. 357, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled "an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways," approved March 15, 1861;

4. House bill No. 448, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a road

in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain taxes therefor;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The joint resolution and bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House, the following bill:

Senate bill No. 280, entitled

A bill for the acceptance of the donation of public lands, made by act of Congress, approved July 8d, 1866, to the State of Michigan, to aid in the construction of a harbor and ship canal, at Portage Lake, Keweenaw Point, Lake Superior;

Which the House amended by adding to the bill the following: "*Provided*, None of said lands shall be located in the county of Ontonagon, until the completion of the said harbor and ship canal."

And to inform the House that the Senate has non-concurred in said amendment.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Van Vleet moved that the House recede from the amendment made to the joint resolution;

Which motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS. 1

Mr. Emery,
Fellows,
Hill,
Kingsbury

Mr. Mallet,
Mason,
W. H. Osborn,

Mr. E. Spalding,
Sweeney,
Taylor,

NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Holt, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Hopkins, | Schars, |
| Ball, | Huckins, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | Jewell, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | O. O. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | McOutcheon, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickleby, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Canniff, | Miles, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Dussean, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Emerson, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Speaker, |
| Haven, | | |

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The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 317, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act to authorize the formation of corporations for mining, smelting or manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved February 15, 1853;

2. House bill No. 351, entitled

A bill for the incorporation of industrial and other charitable societies;

3. House bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize proceedings by garnishment, in the circuit courts, and in the district court of the Upper Peninsula, approved March 16, 1861;

4. House bill No. 427, entitled

A bill to amend section 8, of act No. 231, of the session laws of 1863, relative to proceedings by garnishment;

5. House bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to authorize the common council of the city of Detroit to divide any ward of said city into two wards or election districts, and to provide for the registration of qualified electors therein;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to re-transmit the following:

Senate bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to authorize the taxation of the shares of stockholders in banks, and the surplus funds of savings' banks;

Which the House amended by adding two new sections, to stand as sections 7 and 8, as follows:

Sec. 7. Any bank or banking association organized under the laws of this State, or of the United States, which shall elect to pay, and shall pay to the State Treasurer, in the month of July in each year, a specific tax of one per cent. on the capital thereof, shall be thereupon relieved, and the owners of individual shares thereof shall be relieved, from all other assessments under the provisions of this act, for taxes on its capital, or on the individual shares thereof, for the year then next ensuing.

Sec. 8. Every individual banker doing business under the

laws of this State, is hereby required to declare upon oath, before the assessor, the amount of capital invested in such banking business, and each one hundred dollars of such capital, for the purpose of this act and for the purpose of taxation, shall be held and regarded as one individual share in such business, and such shares are hereby declared to be personal property. If such banker have partners, he shall declare upon oath before the assessor, the number of shares held by each of them in such banking business, ascertained as above provided; and the shares so held by any partner shall be included in the valuation of his taxable property in the assessment of all taxes levied in the town, school district or ward where such individual banker is located, and not elsewhere; and such individual banker shall pay the same and make the amount so paid a charge in his accounts with such partners; and if such individual banker have no partner, he shall be held to be sole owner of all the shares in such business of banking, and the same shall be included in the valuation of his personal property in the assessment of all taxes levied in the town, school district or ward where his bank is located, and not elsewhere;

And to inform the House that the Senate has non-concurred in said amendments.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Newcombe moved that the House insist upon the amendments made to the bill;

Which motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. S. T. Parsons, |
| O. R. Brown, | Huckins, | Slayton, |
| Crossman, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Deane, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Dusseau, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| Fellows, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Funston, | Mallet, | Taylor, |
| Gallup, | Murray, | Walker, |
| Haven, | Newcombe, | White, |
| Holt, | | |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Randall, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Robinson, |
| Barber, | Jenness, | Scharr, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Locke, | Shepherd, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | Shetterly, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Sweezy, |
| Camburn, | McOutcheon, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Fenton, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Speaker, |
| Healy, | | |

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Mr. Woodman moved that the House recede from the amendments made to the bill.

Mr. Slayton called for a division of the question, that the question might first be taken upon the first amendment made to the bill.

The question being upon the motion to recede from the first amendment, being the addition to section seven,

The motion was not agreed to, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Eck, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Alexander, | Fenton, | Shepherd, |
| Ball, | Healy, | Shetterly, |
| Barber, | Howard, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Beall, | J. H. Jones, | Swift, |
| Boies, | Lovell, | Taylor, |
| Bonine, | McOutcheon, | Van Vleet, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mickley, | Wells, |
| C. R. Brown, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilcox, |
| W. G. Brown, | W. H. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Canniff, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Camburn, | F. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Chauvin, | Parmelee, | Woodman, |
| Crossman, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Dunlap, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Deane, | R. Jones, | L. Smith, |

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| Mr. Fellows, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Funston, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Gallup, | Locke, | Spence, |
| Greenfield, | Lockwood, | Stannard, |
| Grier, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| Haven, | Mason, | Sweezey, |
| Hill, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Holt, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Hopkins, | S. T. Parsons, | Walker, |
| Huckins, | Pearl, | Warner, |
| Jenness, | Schars, | White, |
| Jewell, | Slayton, | 88 |

The question being next taken upon the motion to recede from the second amendment made to the bill, being the addition of section eight,

The motion was not agreed to, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. McOutcheon, | Mr. Spence, |
| Barber, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Beall, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Bonine, | Packard, | Upton, |
| A. S. Brown, | Parmelee, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Shepherd, | Wells, |
| Eck, | L. Smith, | Speaker, |
| J. H. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding. | 23 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | R. Jones, | O. O. Smith, |
| Corey, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Crossman, | Kingsbury, | E. Spalding, |
| Fellows, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Fenton, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| Funston, | Lovell, | Sweezey, |
| Gallup, | Mallet, | Swift, |
| Greenfield, | Mason, | Van Vleet, |
| Grier, | Miles, | Warner, |
| Haven, | Murray, | White, |
| Healy, | Newcombe, | Wilcox, |
| Hill, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Holt, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Hopkins, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Howard, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | | 52 |

On motion of Mr. Slayton,
The bill was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBERS,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 263, entitled

A bill to define and limit the amount of money which may be granted and voted by the qualified electors of townships for the purpose of erecting town halls or other buildings, for the public use of the inhabitants thereof,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out in line 7, of section 1, the words "the annual township," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "such legal;"

2. By adding at the end of section 1, the words "which said notice shall specify the amount to be raised for such purpose: *And provided further*, That no money shall be raised by tax, until a majority of the qualified electors voting at such meeting shall, by ballot, authorize the same;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Corey moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Barber,
Beall,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,

Mr. L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,

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| Benedict, | J. H. Jones, | Stevens, |
| Bonine, | R. Jones, | Sweezy, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | Swift, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Taylor, |
| W. G. Brown, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Oanniff, | Newcombe, | Upton, |
| Chauvin, | L.D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Warner, |
| Croesman, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Deane, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Dunlap, | S. T. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Funston, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Gallup, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Slayton, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | C. C. Smith, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Kedzie,
Lovell,

Mr. Randall,

Mr. Mason,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment:

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 348, entitled

A bill to provide for copying and binding mutilated assessment rolls and other papers;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 429, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Paw Paw,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By adding in section 1, at the end of House amendment, the words, "and the south-west quarter of the southeast quarter of section eleven;"

2. By striking out in section 12, in line 3, the word "herein;"

3. By striking out all after the word "extend," in line 20, section 12, to and including the word "direct," in line 21;

4. By striking out the words, "The president and no," in line 1, section 26, and inserting the words, "Neither the president nor any," in lieu thereof;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Woodman moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,

Mr. Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
● J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lovell,

Mr. Sebars,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. O. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,

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| Canniff, | Mallet, | Stannard, | |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Stevens, | |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Sweezy, | |
| Dunlap | Murray, | Swift, | |
| Dusseau, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, | |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, | |
| Fellows, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, | |
| Funston, | Packard, | Wells, | |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Willard, | |
| Haven, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, | |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Woodman, | |
| Hill, | Randall, | Wright, | |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | Speaker, | 66 |
| | NAYS. | | |

Mr. Kedzie, 1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 130, entitled

A bill to authorize the Iron Cliff's Company to acquire and hold certain lands, and to acquire and hold stock in certain companies,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by adding after the word "steel," in line 7, of section 1, the words:

"*Provided*, That nothing in this act shall exempt said lands when acquired and held by said Iron Cliff Company from either State, county, township or municipal taxes, to the same extent, according to the value, as other real estate is taxed in said counties of Marquette and Washington;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has

ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Healy moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Schars, |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| S. A. Brown, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Lockwood, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Corey, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Miles, | Sweezey, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Newcombe, | Tompkins, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Funston, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Grier, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Hill, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | Speaker, 60 |

NAYS.

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 407, entitled
A bill to provide for the incorporation of churches of Christ;
2. House bill No. 248, entitled

A bill to amend section 3488, of the compiled laws;

3. House bill No. 477, entitled

A bill to authorize the Roman Catholic bishops of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust for the use of the church;

4. House bill No. 347, entitled

A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 128, being section 4348 of the compiled laws, in regard to notes of issue;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for entollment.

The Speaker also announced the following.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 422, entitled

A bill to promote the collection of debts, by creditors of railroad companies;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. Section 1, line 8, strike out the word "road," and insert in place thereof, the word "company;"

2. Section 1, line 11, insert the word "company," after the word "railroad;"

3. Section 4, strike out the entire section;

4. Section 5, line 4, insert the word "company," after the word "railroad;"

5. Section 5, line 5, strike out the word "such," and insert in place thereof, the word "subsequent;" also, insert in same

line, (5,) section 5, after the word "assignees," the words "or other persons;"

6. Section 6, line 1, strike out the word "their," and insert in place thereof, the word "its;"

7. Section 6, line 2, strike out the word "they," and insert in place thereof, the word "it;"

8. Section 6, line 8, strike out the words "they are," and insert in place thereof, the words "it is;"

9. Section 7, line 8, strike out the word "running," and insert in place thereof, the word "operating." Same line, insert after the word "repair," the words "and also the interest accruing upon the said mortgage;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. R. B. Smith moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Alexander, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | Kingsbury, | R. B. Smith, |
| Boies, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Bonine, | Levell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mickley, | Sweezy, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Dusseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Fleet, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Funston, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Grier, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Hill, | Robinson, | Woodward, |
| Hopkins, | Schars, | Woodman, |

Howard,
Huckins,
Jewell,

Shepherd,
Shetterly,

Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The committee on banks and incorporations, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No, 175, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to revise the charter of the city of Detroit, approved Feb. 5, 1857, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Miekley,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. C. R. Brown, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of one dollar per day, in addition to his per diem allowance, be paid to Chauncey Strong, the Assistant Clerk of the House, for his services during the session;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Murray, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the fireman and assistant fireman be allowed fifty cents each per diem, as additional compensation for their services;

Which was withdrawn.

Mr. Newcombe renewed the resolution.

The resolution was not adopted.

Mr. Fellows, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk and his Assistant be each allowed one dollar per day extra compensation during this session;

Which was adopted.

Mr. J. H. Jones, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to provide for repairing and finishing the State Prison, and for making certain additions thereto;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. H. Jones,

The bill was amended by striking out the word "five," in line 1, of section 3, and by striking out the word "one," in line 5, of same section, and inserting the word "five" in lieu thereof.

Mr. Walker moved as a substitute for the amendment, to strike out all of line 3, section 1, to and including the word "for;" also, to strike out in section 3, all after the word "follows," in line 2, to and including the word "dollars," where it first occurs in line 4;

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Huckins, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Ball, | Jenness, | Shepherd, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Kedzie, | Slayton, |
| Boies, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |

Dunlap,
Eck,
Emery,
Fellows,
Funston,
Gallup,
Haven,
Hill,
Hopkins,
Howard,

W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 69

NAYS.

Mr. Fenton,
J. H. Jones,

Mr. Lockwood,
Mason,

Mr. P. S. Spaulding,
Tompkins, 6

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Jones,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The committee on roads and bridges, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 218, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of certain roads, and providing for the construction and improvement thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

LUTHER SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 118, entitled

A bill to authorize the district board of fractional school dis-

trict No. 5, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows: "

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Slayton, |
| Benedict, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| Boies, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Rockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Dussseau, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Emerson, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Fellows, | Schars, | Woodman, |
| Funston, | Sexton, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Kedzie,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 215, of the laws of 1865, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing, approved March 18, 1865,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Taylor, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That W. D. Burnham, fireman of this House, be and is hereby allowed 50 cents per day additional compensation during this session;

Which was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 216, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, to be known as the Ingham and Clinton State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved March 20, 1865;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 77, entitled

A bill further to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the construction of train railways;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

After section 2095, insert the following:

Sec. 2. Section 34 of said act, being section 34, in act No. 1 of the session laws of 1861, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 34. All companies or corporations formed for such purpose, shall have the exclusive right to use and appropriate any street railways constructed, owned or held by them: *Provided*, That no such company or corporation shall be authorized to construct a railway under this act through the streets of any town or city, without the consent of the municipal authorities of such town or city, and under such regulations and upon such terms and conditions as said authorities may from time to time prescribe: *Provided further*, That after such consent shall have been given, and accepted by the company or corporation to which the same is granted, such authorities shall make no regulations or conditions whereby the rights or franchises so granted shall be destroyed or unreasonably impaired, or such company or corporation be deprived of constructing, maintaining and operating such railway in the street in such consent or grant named, pursuant to the terms thereof;

Change the numbers of sections 2 and 3, to 3 and 4;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Warner moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,

Mr. Howard,
Huckins,
Jeanness,
Jewell,
Kedzie,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,

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| Bonine, | Kingsbury, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Locke, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Canniff, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Mason, | Swezey, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Swift, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dussseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Emery, | Parker, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Woodman, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Haven, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Holt, | | |

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NAYS.

Mr. J. H. Jones, Mr. R. Jones, Mr. Lockwood, 8

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sm—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 165, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act imposing a specific tax upon corporations and chartered companies engaged in the business of mining, smelting and refining ores in this State, approved March 10, 1865,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by inserting after the words "refined," in section 1, the words "pig, bloom, or other iron manufactured in this State, shall be free from specific tax, except upon the capital stock;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has

ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. McKernan moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. O. C. Smith, |
| Alexander, | Kedzie, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| W. G. Brown, | Mason, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Stevens, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Micklely, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | Murray, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Emery, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Warner, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | White, |
| Holt, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Robinson, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Jenness, | Shepherd, | Speaker, |
| Jewell, | Shetterly, | |

NAYS.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following:

1. House bill No. 314, entitled

A bill to authorize the Hamtramck and Warren plank road company to increase the tolls on said road;

2. House bill No. 462, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of highways in Gratiot county;

3. House bill No. 30, entitled

A bill to amend section 587, being section 95, of chapter 12, of compiled laws, relative to the compensation of certain township officers;

4. House bill No. 482, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money, or raise by tax, a sum for making public improvements in said village;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 27, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Henry Johr, John E. Kitton, John Canan and Francis Krouse,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend the preamble by inserting after the word "St. Clair," in line 1, the following words: "claims that he;"

2. Amend by striking out all after the word "Michigan," in line 1, of the first resolution, and add the following:

"That the Board of State Auditors is hereby authorized and

empowered to determine the claim of the State against said Henry Johr, and cause the bond executed by said Henry Johr, as principal, and John E. Kitton, John Canan and Francis Krouse, as securities, upon the payment by either of said last named persons, of such sum or sums as said Board may deem proper to receive."

3. By striking out the second "resolution;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Miles moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Ball, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| A. S. Brown, | McOutcheon, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | McKernan, | Spence, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Stannard, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Stevens, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Sweezy, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Swift, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Taylor, |
| Fenton, | Parker, | Tompkins, |
| Funston, | Parmelee, | Van Fleet, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Warner, |
| Grier, | Robinson, | Wells, |
| Haven, | Schars, | Wilson, |
| Howard, | Sexton, | Woodman, |
| Huckins, | Shepherd, | Wright, |
| Jewell, | Shetterly, | Speaker, 57 |

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| Mr. Dussean, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. C. C. Smith, |
| R. Jones, | | |

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Mr. Gallup, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 188, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a State road from the village of Newaygo, in Newaygo county, to the village of Whitehall, in Muskegon county, to be known as the Newaygo and Whitehall State road;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Beall, | Mr. Gallup, | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | Grier, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Boies, | Healy, | Spence, |
| A. S. Brown, | Holt, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Sweezy, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Swift, |
| Deane, | Mallet, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Upton, |
| Eck, | Mickley, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | Miles, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Pearl, | White |
| Fenton, | L. Smith, | Speaker, |
| Funston, | R. B. Smith, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Lovell, | Mr. Schars, |
| Ball, | Mason, | Sexton, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Shepherd, |
| Corey, | Murray, | Shetterly, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Slayton, |
| Haven, | W. H. Osborn, | O. C. Smith, |
| Howard, | Packard, | Stannard, |
| Jenness, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Jewell, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| J. H. Jones, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |
| R. Jones, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Kedzie, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Locke, | | |

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Mr. Jenness, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 267, entitled

A bill making appropriations to enable the State Board of Education to purchase and complete a building for the use of the Normal School;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. White,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Taylor, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 161, entitled

A bill to provide for the location of the Grand Rapids and Mackinaw wagon road, and to secure the construction thereof;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill;

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

The bill was amended, by inserting after the word "lands," in line 2, section 2, the words "heretofore made by act of Congress, or the Legislature of the State of Michigan," and by inserting after the word "money," in same line, the words "heretofore made."

On motion of Mr. Woodman,

The bill was amended, by striking out the words "whether in land or money," in same line.

Mr. White moved to recommit the bill to the committee on public lands;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Dunlap,

The bill was amended, by striking out the word "swamp," in line 2, of section 2.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. Spence, |
| Ball, | Kingsbury, | Stevens, |
| Boies, | Locke, | Sweezy, |
| Bonine, | Mallet, | Swift, |
| C. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Taylor, |

Canniff,
Camburn,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Emery,
Funston,
Grier,
Hill,
Holt,

McKernan,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parmelee,
Randall,
Shetterly,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,

Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Wright,

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Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Dusseau,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Haven,

Mr. Howard,
Jenness,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Lockwood,
Mason,
Murray,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Robinson,

Mr. Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
Slayton,
Stannard,
Van Fleet,
Warner,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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Mr. Taylor, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms be and they are hereby each allowed fifty cents per day additional, for their services during this session;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Sexton, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be directed to draw his order in favor of the Honorable Jefferson Wiley, of Wayne, for no greater amount than for services actually rendered.

Mr. Ball moved to amend the resolution by adding at the end thereof, the words, "excepting mileage;"

Which was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Deane,

The resolution was laid on the table.

The committee on the judiciary, by unanimous consent, submitted the following report:

The committee on the judiciary, to whom was referred Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill relative to liens of mechanics and others, in Lenawee county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. C. WALKER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The House concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard; | Mr. R. B. Smith, |
| Ball, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | R. Jones, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | Stannard, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lockwood, | Stevens, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | Sweeney, |
| W. G. Brown, | McOutcheon, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Mickley, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Tompkins, |
| Deane, | Murray, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Packard, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Fenton, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Funston, | Robinson, | Wilcox, |
| Grier, | Schars, | Willard, |
| Haven, | Sexton, | Woodward, |
| Hill, | Shepherd, | Woodman, |
| Holt, | Shetterly, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Slayton, | |

NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Chauvin,

Mr. Huckins,

Mr. Wright,

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The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

The title was amended by striking out the words "Lenawee county," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "counties of Lenawee and Ingham."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House took a recess until two o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill;

House bill No. 98, entitled

A bill to tax banking associations organized under the laws of the United States;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Mr. Shepherd, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 170, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Allegan and Otsego to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a gravel road from the village of Allegan to the villages of Otsego and Plainwell, in the county of Allegan;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. F. Parsons, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Parmelee, |
| Ball, | Howard, | Pearl, |
| Barber, | Jeness, | Randall, |
| Benedict, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Kedzie, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, |
| O. R. Brown, | Locke, | O. O. Smith, |
| Camburn, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, |
| Corey, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| Deane, | Mallet, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Dunlap, | Mason, | Sweezy, |
| Eck, | McCutcheon, | Taylor, |
| Emerson, | McKernan, | Tompkins, |
| Emery, | Mickley, | Upton, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Funston, | L. D. Osborn, | White, |
| Gallup, | Packard, | Wilson, |
| Greenfield, | Parker, | Speaker, |
| Grier, | | |

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| Mr. Robinson, | Mr. Stannard, | 2 |
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 26, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 391, entitled

A bill to provide for issuing patents for certain lands;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out all after the word "enact," in line 1, and adding in place thereof the following: "That the Governor is hereby authorized to issue patents to the Amboy, Lansing and Traverse Bay Railroad Company, for such lands as said company may be entitled to under an act of Congress, approved June 3, 1856, granting lands to the State of Michigan, to aid in building certain railroads; such patents, in their terms, shall convey only such title as this State acquired under the act of Congress aforesaid, and shall be subject to any equitable rights which any person or persons may have to any of said lands by virtue of any rights claimed by them under said railroad company;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,

Mr. Hopkins
Howard,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
R. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,

Mr. S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
O. C. Smith,

A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Deane,
Dusseau,
Emery,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Healy,
Hill,

Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Parker,
F. Parsons,

L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Stannard,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Wells,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, (the Senate concurring), That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to build or cause to be built, a new out-house in some proper place in the yard of the Capitol, for the use of members of this Legislature. Said building shall be at least 24 feet square, one story high, to be built of wood, and to be finished so as not to exceed the cost of five hundred dollars, and to be completed by the first day of December next;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out in lines 7 and 8, after the word "Capitol," the words "for the use of the members of this Legislature," and inserting in lieu thereof, "where it will be most convenient for the members of both branches of the Legislature;"

2. By striking out in line 10, the words "one story high;"

3. By striking out in line 14, the words "first day of December," and inserting "15th day of May;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

The House concurred in the amendments made to the resolution by the Senate.

The resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 478, entitled

A bill to attach certain territory to union school district No. 1, in the township of Columbia;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed by the Senate to re-transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support

of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the buildings thereof, and erecting other buildidgs;

Which the House amended as follows:

1. By striking out in line 5, section 1, the words "general fund," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "swamp land interest fund."

2. By adding to section one, the words: "*Provided*, If there shall not be found unappropriated in said swamp land interest fund, moneys sufficient to meet the above appropriation for the year 1868, then there is hereby appropriated from the general fund, a sum sufficient to meet the deficiency, which shall be passed to the credit of the said Asylum fund."

8. By striking out, in the third and fourth lines of section two, the words "incorporated in the State tax, and levied and collected in addition to all other State taxes, provided by law, for the year 1867, and when so collected shall be," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "transferred from the swamp land interest fund, and."

4. By striking out in the seventh, eighth and ninth lines of section five, the words "incorporated in the State tax for the year 1867, and levied and collected in addition to all other taxes provided for by law for said year, and when so collected shall be," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "transferred from the swamp land interest fund, and;"

In which amendments the Senate non-concurred, and from which the House refused to recede, and upon which disagreement between the two Houses, a committee of conference was appointed, which committee made the following recommendations:

That the House recede from the several amendments adopted by the House to the same, and concur in the following amendments to said bill, viz:

By adding at the end of section 1, the words following: "which said sums shall be incorporated in the State tax for the year 1867, and be levied and collected in addition to all other

taxes provided for by law for said year, and be passed to the credit of said Asylum;" also, by adding an additional section, to stand as section 5 of the bill, as follows:

"Section 5. The State Treasurer is hereby authorized and required to charge to the swamp land interest fund, all moneys that now stand to the credit of said swamp land fund, unappropriated, by an act entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to be known as the swamp land State road commissioner, approved;"

And I am directed to inform the House that the Senate has non-concurred in the recommendations of said committee.

I am also directed to inform the House that the Senate has appointed Messrs. Luce, Bradley and Pringle, on the part of the Senate, as members of a second committee of conference, on the disagreement on the said bill between the two Houses, and to request the appointment of a like committee, on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Boies moved that a committee of three be appointed on the part of the House, to confer with the committee on the part of the Senate, on the disagreement of the two Houses;

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed as such committee, Messrs. Boies, Barber and Fenton.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following:

1. House joint resolution No. 28, entitled
Joint resolution for the relief of Frederick Annis;
2. House bill No. 397, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 235, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the re-

vised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175, of the compiled laws, entitled of the fees of certain officers in civil cases;

3. House bill No. 475, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1185, 1186 and 1187, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 88, of said laws, in reference to the recording of town plats and the vacating of the same;

4. House bill No. 13, entitled

A bill to amend sections 11 and 13, of chapter 150, of the revised statutes of A. D. 1846, the same being sections 5647 and 5649, of the compiled laws;

5. House bill No. 404, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 126, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 154, of the compiled laws, by adding a new section thereto, relating to miners' liens upon mining property;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill relating to certain bonds issued by the trustees of school district No. 1, of the township of Portage, in the county of Houghton;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same

to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following joint resolution:

House manuscript joint resolution, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office, to issue a certificate of purchase of certain lands to George S. Freer, of Lima, Michigan;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the resolution, by adding at the end thereof, the following: "And said Commissioner shall first be satisfied, that said George S. Freer is the owner of all the rights conferred by said original certificate, No. 386, B, dated October 17, 1837;

The Senate has also amended the preamble of said resolution by striking out the word "is," and inserting in lieu, the words "claims to be;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Gallup moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the joint resolution by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Healy,
Hill,

Mr. Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,
Jenness,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McOutcheon,
McKernan,
Mickley,
Miles,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
Parmelee,

Mr. Pearl,
Robinson,
Schars,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Woodman,
Speaker, 69

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The joint resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker called the Speaker *pro tem.* to the chair.

The Speaker, *pro tem.* announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 23, 1867.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:
House bill No. 344, entitled

A bill to attach the county of Washington to the 12th judicial circuit;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended said bill, by striking out all after the word "attached," in the 2d line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "for judicial purposes, to the county of Marquette;";

The Senate has also amended the title of said bill, by striking out the words, "the twelfth judicial circuit," and insert-

ing in lieu thereof the words, "the county of Marquette, for judicial purposes;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-third of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Kedzie moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Ball | Mr. Hill | Mr. E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Jenness, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown. | Lockwood, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | Mallet, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | McCutcheon, | Warner, |
| Eck, | Mickley, | Wells, |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, |
| Gallup, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Haven, | Robinson, | Willard, |

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Jewell, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | J. H. Jones, | Sexton, |
| Barber, | R. Jones, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Benedict, | Locke, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Mason, | O. O. Smith, |
| Camburn, | McKernan, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Murray, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Corey, | Newell, | Stannard, |
| Deane, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, |
| Dusseau, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Fenton, | Parker, | Van Vleet, |
| Funston, | F. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, |
| Healy, | Parmelee, | Wright, |
| Hopkins, | Pearl, | Speaker <i>pro tem.</i> , |
| Howard, | | |

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Mr. Fenton, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Whereas, The Hon. P. Dean Warner has, by his eminent abilities, uniform kindness and impartiality in the discharge of the responsible and onerous duties of the chair, won the friendship and esteem of the members of this House, regardless of political distinction; therefore

Resolved, That our sincere regards and well wishes will ever attend him in all the relations of life, and we most cordially extend to him the thanks of this House;

Which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Randall, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of this House are due to the citizens of Lansing, for their many acts of kindness during our pleasant sojourn in their city, and that we deem it our duty to express our high appreciation of their acts of friendship, and also our wish for their continued happiness and prosperity;

Which was adopted.

Mr. R. B. Smith, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby authorized and required to forward by mail or express, to each of the members and officers of this House, one copy of the daily journal of the last four days of this session, and such other documents, reports or papers as have been ordered printed by the House, and to pre-pay the postage or express charges on the same.

Resolved, That the State Treasurer be and he is hereby requested and instructed to refund to the Clerk of this House the amount of postage and expressage by him paid, under the preceding resolution, whenever the Clerk shall make demand therefor, and present his bill for the amount, certified by him to be correct.

On motion of Mr. Ball,

The resolution was amended by inserting after the word "copy," in the first resolution, the following: "and to Mr. Slayton thirteen copies."

The resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

Mr. Randall, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of this House are due to the resident clergy of Lansing, for their voluntary and very acceptable services as chaplains of this House, for this session of the Legislature;

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing resolution, signed by the Speaker and Clerk, be forwarded to each of the resident clergy of Lansing;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Kedzie, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of this House are due to N. B. Jones, the energetic and efficient Clerk of this House, and to his Assistant, Chauncey Strong, whose rapid and business-like habits have contributed to the successful dispatch of the business of this session;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Emery, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of the citizens of Lansing are due to the members of this Legislature, for the great benefit, socially, politically and pecuniarily, that they have received from its members;

, Which was adopted.

Mr. Walker offered the following:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring.) That the Secretary of State be directed to prepare, as soon as possible, for publication, the general laws passed at the present session, and to distribute the same according to law, as soon as printed, without waiting for the publication of the special acts of the session.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The rules were suspended, and the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. McKernan offered the following:

Resolved, That we cordially tender the thanks of this House to the Hon. Jonathan J. Woodman, for the able, impartial and dignified manner, in which he has discharged his duties as Speaker *pro tem.*, of this House;

Which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Ball offered the following:

Whereas, It is ascertained that certain members have been preparing themselves for ventilation, in case of a certain emergency;

And whereas, Said emergency, by some *Railroad* pressure in the upper House, failed to appear;

And whereas, It is feared by some of the M. D.'s of this House, that the constitutions of these gentlemen would be materially injured by the non-delivery of their studied efforts, and the gas which would naturally generate in consequence, would have a swelling tendency, liable to sudden explosions; therefore,

Resolved, That some method be devised by this House whereby these embryo speeches may be gradually extracted from said members, thereby avoiding a serious calamity to the individuals, as well as to a certain railroad.

Mr. White moved that the resolution be laid on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The resolution was then adopted.

Mr. Corey offered the following:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cause such alterations and repairs to be made to the furnace, and to add as many new registers as may be necessary to heat the Hall of this House, and to have the same completed during the present year.

On motion of Mr. Corey,

The rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Boies offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of this House are hereby tendered to the Sergeant-at-Arms and his assistant, and the fireman and his assistant, for the faithful and efficient manner in which they have performed their official duties, and for their unvarying courtesy and kindness to the members of this House;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Swift, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That we hereby express thanks to the messengers of this House for the prompt, efficient and courteous manner in which they have discharged their several duties;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Fenton, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the cordial and heartfelt thanks of all the members of this House be and they are hereby tendered to the ladies of Lansing, whose bright eyes and sweet smiles have cheered the members of this Legislature in the discharge of their arduous and responsible legislative duties;

Which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Boies, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That this House hereby expresses its thanks to the Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk and his Assistant, for their faithful and accurate performance of their official duties, and for their many acts of courtesy to the members and officers of this House;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Jenness, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That D. O. Church, Assistant Fireman of this House be allowed fifty cents per day extra pay during this session;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Woodman, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That on and after this day, there be only three hundred copies of the journal of this House printed for distribution among the members thereof;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Healey, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Senate be requested to return House bill No. 248, being

A bill to organize the township of Washington;

And House bill No. 265, being

A bill to organize the township of Oliff;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Kedzie moved to take from the table Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 215, of the laws of 1865, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing, approved March 18, 1865;

Which motion did not prevail.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 163, entitled

A bill to provide for the further improvement of the East Saginaw and Sauble River, and the Duncan, Alpena and Sauble River State roads,

And to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the accompanying substitute therefor;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the substitute adopted for the bill by the Senate;

Pending which motion,

Mr. C. R. Brown moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and the following members were reported absent without leave:

Messrs. Brownell, Deane, Jewell and Funston.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being upon the motion to concur in the substitute adopted by the Senate for House bill No. 163, entitled

A bill to provide for the further improvement of the East Saginaw and Sauble river, and the Duncan, Alpena and Sauble river State roads,

The motion was agreed to, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Kedzie, | O. C. Smith, |
| Ball, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| Beall, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Bonine, | Mallet, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Camburn, | Mickley, | Sweeney, |
| Chauvin, | Miles, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Tompkins, |
| Dussean, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilcox, |
| Greenfield, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Woodman, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Hill, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. W. G. Brown, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Corey, | R. Jones, | Slayton, |
| Fellows, | Lovell, | Stannard, |
| Holt, | Murray, | White, |
| Huckins, | Parker, | Wilson, |
| Jenness, | | |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 142, entitled

A bill to fix the liability of railroad companies, as common carriers, in certain cases,

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out all of section 1, after the word "that," in line 1;

2. By striking out in section 2, the words "section 2," and also the word "such," in line 1, of said section.

3. By striking out in said section 3, the words "section 3," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "section 2."

4. By striking out the words "and so lessen their before named responsibility," in lines 4 and 5, of section 3;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS,

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Kedzie, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Ball, | Locke, | Slayton, |
| Beall, | Lockwood, | O. O. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Lovell, | L. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mallet, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mason, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Ganniff, | McOutcheon, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McKernan, | Stannard, / |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Miles, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Swift, |
| Eck, | Newell, | Taylor, |

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|-------------|----------------|------------|----|
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Tompkins, | |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, | |
| Fellows, | Packard, | Van Vleet, | |
| Greenfield, | F. Parsons, | Warner, | |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, | |
| Haven, | Barmelee, | White, | |
| Hill, | Randall, | Willard, | |
| Holt, | Robinson, | Wright, | |
| Hopkins, | Sexton, | Speaker, | 66 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Howard, | Mr. R. Jones, | Mr. R. B. Smith, | |
| J. H. Jones, | Schars, | Wilson, | 6 |

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrolment, for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to re-transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to provide for repairing and finishing the State Prison, and for making certain additions thereto;

Which the House amended, by striking out all of line 3, in section 1, from and including the word "female," to the word "insane;" also, by striking out in section 3, after the word "follows," in the second line, to and including the word "dollars," where it first occurs in the 4th line;

And to inform the House that the Senate has non-concurred in said amendments.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. J. H. Jones moved that the House recede from the amendments made to the bill by the House;

Which motion did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Robinson, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | P. S. Spaulding, |

Canniff,
Camburn,
Fellows,
Healy,
Hill,

Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mickley,
W. H. Osborn,
F. Parsons,

Swift,
Tompkins,
Upton,
Wilcox,
Woodward, 21

NAYS.

Mr. Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Corey,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Dusseau,
Eck,
Emerson,
Emery,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Huckins,

Mr. Jenness,
R. Jones,
Kedzie,
Locke,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
McKernan,
Miles,
Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Pearl,
Randall,
Schars,
Sexton,
Shepherd,

Mr. Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Taylor,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Willard,
Wilson,
Woodman,
Wright,
Speaker, 63

Mr. Sweezey moved that the House insist upon its amendments;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Emery moved that a committee of conference be appointed, to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate, on the disagreement of the two Houses;

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed as such committee, Messrs. Emery, Walker and Wright.

The committee on engrossment and enrollment submitted the following report:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and this day presented to the Governor, the following bill:

A bill to authorize the Iron Cliffs company to acquire and hold certain lands, and to acquire and hold stock in certain companies.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

Mr. Wells moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to take from the table Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 215, of the laws of 1865, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing, approved March 18, 1865;

Which motion prevailed.

The motion to take the bill from the table was then agreed to.

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|----------------|---------------|-------------|----|
| Mr. Alexander, | Mr. McKernan, | Mr. Spence, | |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Swift, | |
| Grier, | Pearl, | Taylor, | |
| Jenness, | R. B. Smith, | Warner, | |
| Kedzie, | | | 18 |

NAYS.

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|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Beall, | Huckins, | Randall, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jewell, | Robinson, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | Schars, |
| Canniff, | R. Jones, | Sexton, |
| Camburn, | Kingsbury, | Shepherd, |
| Chauvin, | Locke, | Shetterly, |
| Corey, | Lovell, | Slayton, |
| Dunlap, | Mallet, | L. Smith, |
| Dusseau, | Mason, | E. Spalding, |
| Eck, | McOutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Emerson, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Emery, | Miles, | Swezey, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Van Vleet, |
| Greenfield, | Newell, | Willard, |
| Haven, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Healy, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |

Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,

Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,

Wright,
Speaker,

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MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring.) That the Secretary of State, be and he is hereby instructed and authorized to cause such alterations and repairs to be made to the furnace, and to add as many new registers as may be necessary to heat the Hall of this House, and to have the same completed during the present year;

In the passage of which the Senate has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

The resolution was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

1. House bill No. 323, entitled

A bill to amend section 28, of the act to authorize the business of banking, approved February 16, 1857, being act No. 185, of the session laws of 1857;

2. House bill No. 481, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations, conventions, conferences or religious bodies, for literary, religious or other benevolent purposes;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives :

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 348, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Washington;

2. House bill No. 265, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Cliff, in the county of Washington;

In compliance with a request of the House.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Healy,

The bills were laid on the table.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 111, entitled

A bill to authorize judges of probate, in certain cases, to appoint clerks, and to authorize boards of supervisors to fix the compensation to be paid such clerks,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Haven,

The bill was amended by inserting the word "Calhoun," after the word "Oakland," in line 2, of section 1.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Randall, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Schara, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mason, | Sweezey, |
| Eck, | McKernan, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | S. T. Parsons, | Speaker, 54 |

NAYS.

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|---------------|---------------|------------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Kingsbury | Mr. G. O. Smith, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau | Parker, | White, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | Wilson, |
| R. Jones, | Shetterly, | Wright, 17 |
| Kedzie, | Slayton, | |

The question being upon agreeing to the title,

On motion of Mr. Haven,

The title was amended by inserting the word "Calhoun," after the word "Oakland."

The title, as amended, was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Haven,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 184, entitled

A bill to regulate telegraph companies and their agents, and individuals doing telegraph business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Parmelee, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Randall, |
| Ball, | Holt, | Schars, |
| Beall, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Bonine, | Jenness, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Jewell, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Locke, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Lovell, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | Mason, | Sweezy, |
| Eck, | McKernan, | Walker, |
| Emerson, | Murray, | Warner, |
| Fellows, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | L. D. Osborn, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Packard, | Woodward, |
| Grier, | F. Parsons, | Woodman, |
| Haven, | S. T. Parsons, | Speaker, 54 |

NAYS.

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|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. C. O. Smith, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Stannard, |
| Dusseau, | Parker, | White, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | Wilson, |
| R. Jones, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| Kedzie, | Slayton, | 17 |

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 258, entitled

A bill to authorize the planting and protection of shade and ornamental trees, in incorporated villages,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Hill, | Mr. Schars, |
| Alexander, | Holt, | Sexton, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Beall, | Jenness, | O. O. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | L. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | J. H. Jones, | R. B. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Lovell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Camburn, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| Crossman, | Mason, | Stevens, |
| Dunlap, | McKernan, | Sweezy, |

Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,

Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Randall,

Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Corey,
Dusseau,
Huckins,
R. Jones,

Mr. Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
Shetterly,

Mr. Slayton,
Stannard,
White,
Wilson,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 179, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled "an act relative to the issuing of false, fraudulent and part-paid shares of the stock of railroad companies, and to repeal sections 4 and 5, of act No. 229, of the session laws of 1863, approved March 20, 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Bonine,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,

Mr. Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McKernan,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,

Mr. Randall,
Schars,
Shepherd,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweezy,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Willard,
Woodward,

Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,

F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,

Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Benedict,
Corey,
Dusseau,
Healy,
Huckins,
R. Jones,

Mr. Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
Sexton,
Shetterly,

Mr. Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
Stannard,
White,
Wilson,
Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Van Vleet,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 237, entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act for the incorporation of charitable societies, approved Feb. 6, 1855, as amended by an act entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 4, of chapter 58, of the compiled laws, approved Feb. 5, 1864, being section 1753, of the compiled laws,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

[YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Bonine,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Crossman,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,

Mr. Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Jewell,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McKernan,
Murray,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Parmelee,
Randall,
Schars,
Shepherd,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
P. S. Spaulding,
Spence,
Stevens,
Sweezey,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells,
Willard,
Woodward,
Woodman,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Kingsbury, | Mr. Slayton, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | O. O. Smith, |
| Dusseau, | Parker, | Stannard, |
| Huckins, | Sexton, | White, |
| R. Jones, | Shetterly, | Wright, |
| Kedzie, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The committee of conference submitted the following report:

The committee of conference on Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the west wing thereof, and erecting other buildings,

Respectfully report that they have conferred with a like committee on the part of the Senate, and are unable to make a unanimous report. That the Senate committee seem confident, that owing to the late period of the session, the bill as amended by the House cannot pass the Senate previous to the adjournment, but they prefer that the House recede from its amendments relative to the transfer of the swamp land interest fund, so as to apply on this appropriation, and that the appropriation be made out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated, without levying any special tax to meet the same. Your committee therefore make this statement of facts to the House, and ask for its instructions relative to the matter under consideration.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The committee of conference were instructed to recede from the amendments made to the bill by the House.

Senate bill No. 175, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to revise the charter

of the city of Detroit, approved February 5, 1857, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was amended, by striking out the word "two," in the amendment made by the House to section 1.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Gallup, | Mr. Packard, |
| Ball, | Greenfield, | F. Parsons, |
| Barber, | Haven, | S. T. Parsons, |
| Bonine, | Hill, | Parmelee, |
| O. R. Brown, | Holt, | Schara, |
| W. G. Brown, | Hopkins, | Shepherd, |
| Canniff, | Howard, | Slayton, |
| Camburn, | Huckins, | R. B. Smith, |
| Chauvin, | Jenness, | E. Spalding, |
| Corey, | Jewell, | P. S. Spaulding, |
| Crossman, | J. H. Jones, | Spence, |
| Deane, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Dunlap, | Lockwood, | Sweezey, |
| Dusseau, | Lovell, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Mallet, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | McCutcheon, | Wells, |
| Emery, | Newcombe, | Woodward, |
| Fellows, | L. D. Osborn, | Wright, |
| Fenton, | W. H. Osborn, | Speaker, 57 |

NAYS.

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| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Shetterly, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Robinson, | | 4 |

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Warner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Grier, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Whereas, The committee on insurance have lately made a report "relative to the affairs of the late Climax Insurance Company;"

And whereas, Said report might be construed to reflect upon the honesty and integrity of the present officers of said company;

And whereas, Certain accounts and statistics of said company which might have materially modified the effect of said report, were not included in said report;

And whereas, Said report may, if unexplained, have the effect to prevent or retard the collection of the unpaid assessments now due said company, and thus prevent the company from paying the losses sustained by its members;

And whereas, The books of the said insurance company show that about \$35,602 58 of the June assessment is yet unpaid, which assessment was levied to pay losses occurring between February 1st, and June 1st, 1866; also a considerable amount of the February assessment of the same year is yet unpaid, which assessment was levied to pay losses occurring previous to February 1st; also, that another assessment was levied in January, 1867, of more than \$20,000, to pay losses occurring between June 1st, 1866, and January 15th 1867; and it appearing that if said assessments shall be promptly paid the company will be able to pay nearly all of its losses, and that some of the members of said company, who have suffered losses by fire, have little or no money to pay their debts, and support their families; therefore

Resolved, That it is the sense of this House that the members of said company are honorably and legally bound to pay their assessments, so that the just losses of the members of said company may be paid.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House the want of success of the Climax Insurance Company results from the inherent evils of the system, as inaugurated by the laws of this State, under which said company was organized, and not from any dishonesty of the present officers of said company, and that there is no evidence that any of the funds of said company have been misappropriated by said officers, and that we have full faith in their honesty and integrity.

Pending which,

Mr. Taylor moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Barber asked leave of absence for himself and Mr. J. H. Jones;

Which was not granted.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and the following members were reported absent, without leave: Messrs. Brownell, A. S. Brown, Funston, Gallup, Greenfield, R. Jones, Miles, Newell, Swift, Woodman and Tompkins.

Mr. Sweezy asked leave of absence for Mr. Tompkins;

Which was not granted.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched for the absentees.

Mr. C. R. Brown moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Gallup at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

Mr. Gallup was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Greenfield at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

Mr. Greenfield was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. Corey moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. P. S. Spaulding asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, on account of sickness in his family.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Newell at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

Mr. Newell was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. L. Smith moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. C. R. Brown moved to reconsider the vote;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Warner moved that the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms be dispatched after the Sergeant-at-Arms;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Warner moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Taylor moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and the following members were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Brownell, A. S. Brown, Funston, R. Jones, Miles, Swift, Tompkins and Woodman.

Mr. Barber moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution presented by Mr. Grier;

The resolution was not adopted.

Mr. C. R. Brown, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That no member of this House shall be granted leave of absence for any part of the balance of this session, except in case of sickness, and that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to close the bar of the House, and allow no member to pass out, until excused by the House;

Which was adopted.

The committee of conference submitted the following report:

• The committee of conference, appointed on the part of the

House, to act with a like committee on the part of the Senate, relative to the disagreement between the two Houses, on Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill making appropriations and provisions for the support of the Michigan Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, at Flint, and for completing the west wing thereof, and erecting other buildings,

Respectfully report the bill back to the House, and recommend the following amendments:

1. Amend section 1, by striking out the amendment and proviso adopted by the House;

2. Amend section 2, by striking out the amendment made by the House, and by striking out all after the word "appropriated," in line 3, to and including the word "collected," in line 4, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "out of any moneys in the general fund, not otherwise appropriated, and;"

3. Amend section 3, by striking out the amendment previously adopted by the House, and by striking out all after the word "appropriated," in line 7, to and including the word "collected," in line 9, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following: "out of any money in the general fund, not otherwise appropriated, and;"

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. K. BOIES, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. O. R. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the committee of conference;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Barber,
Beall,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
O. R. Brown,

Mr. Howard,
J. H. Jones,
Locke,
Lovell,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mickley,

Mr. Sexton,
Shepherd,
Shetterly,
C. O. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,

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| W. G. Brown, | Newcombe, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Camburn, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Crossman, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Deane, | Packard, | Walker, |
| Eck, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Emerson, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Emery, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Gallup, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Pearl, | Woodward, |
| Haven, | Randall, | Wright, |
| Healy, | Robinson, | Speaker, |
| Hill, | Schars, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Slayton, | Mr. Stevens, |
| R. Jones, | L. Smith, | Wilson, |

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MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 344, entitled

A bill to attach the county of Washington to the twelfth judicial circuit,

Which the Senate amended as follows:

By striking out all of section 1, after the word "attached," in second line, and insert in place thereof, the words "for judicial purposes, to the county of Marquette;"

Also, by amending the title by striking out the words "twelfth judicial circuit," and inserting in place thereof the words, "county of Marquette, for judicial purposes;"

In which amendments the House non-concurred;

And to inform the House that the Senate insists upon their amendments.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Healy,
The bill was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 480, entitled

A bill to authorize dissection in certain cases, for the advancement of science;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by adding the following words at the end of section 3: "But in no case shall such dead body be so delivered when there are any friends or relatives of such deceased persons known to such board or officers;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Warner moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Robinson, | |
| Alexander, | Jenness, | Schars, | |
| Ball, | Jewell, | Sexton, | |
| Barber, | J. H. Jones, | Shepherd, | |
| Beall, | Kedzie, | Shetterly, | |
| Benedict, | Kingsbury, | Slayton, | |
| Boies, | Locke, | C. C. Smith, | |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | L. Smith, | |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, | |
| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | E. Spalding, | |
| W. G. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Spence, | |
| Canniff, | McKernan, | Stannard, | |
| Crossman, | Mickley, | Taylor, | |
| Dunlap, | Murray, | Upton, | |
| Eck, | Newell, | Van Vleet, | |
| Emerson, | L. D. Osborn, | Wells, | |
| Emery, | W. H. Osborn, | White, | |
| Fenton, | Packard, | Willard, | |
| Haven, | Parker, | Wilson, | |
| Healy, | S. T. Parsons, | Woodward, | |
| Hill, | Pearl, | Wright, | |
| Hopkins, | Randall, | Speaker, | 66 |

NAYS.

Mr. Chauvin, Mr. R. Jones, 2

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed by the Senate to transmit the following bill:

Senate bill No. 181, entitled

A bill to repeal sections 4 and 5, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands, approved March 15, 1861, and to substitute two new sections therefor;

Which has passed the Senate by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the House is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to organize the fifth highway district of the city of Lansing;

2. House bill No. 113, entitled

A bill to authorize the district board of fractional school district No. 5, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned;

3. House bill No. 383, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Delhi, in the county of Ingham, to raise by tax a sum of money, for the purpose of draining a swamp in said township, and appropriating swamp land to aid in the same;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 387, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 39, of the session laws of 1865, entitled "an act to amend section 15, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws, relative to the duties of overseers of highways," approved February 10, 1865;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to organize the township of Ingallston, in the county of Menominee;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives :

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 90, entitled

A bill to amend section 72, of chapter 119, being section 4042, of the compiled laws;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out in line 1, of recited section 4042, the word "twelve," and inserting "eight;" also, by striking out lines 4, 5 and 6, after the figures "1865," in same section;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect, by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Grier moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Locke, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | C. C. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Lovell, | R. B. Smith, |
| C. R. Brown, | Mallet, | E. Spalding, |
| Canniff, | Mason, | Spence, |
| Chauvin, | McCutcheon, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Sweezy, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Dusseau, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Eck, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Emerson. | Packard, | Walker, |
| Emery, | Parker, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Grier, | S. T. Parsons, | Wilson, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Woodward, |

Healy,
Hill,
Hopkins,

Randall,
Robinson,
Schars,

Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 332, entitled

A bill to provide for proceedings by attachment in certain cases;

2. House bill No. 331, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein;

3. House bill No. 291, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to inform the House that the Senate

has concurred in the amendments made by the House, to Senate bill No. 154, entitled

A bill to provide for repairing and finishing the State Prison, and for making certain additions thereto.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The message was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 415, entitled

A bill to protect the title of the owners of floating logs and lumber;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out section 6;

2. By adding to the end of section 5, this proviso: "Provided, the provisions of this act shall apply only to the streams running into Lake Michigan, except the Kalamazoo river;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Barber moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Aitken,
Alexander,
Ball,
Beall,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,

Mr. J. H. Jones,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Lockwood,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
C. C. Smith,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,

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| C. R. Brown, | Murray, | E. Spalding, |
| W. G. Brown, | Newcombe, | Stannard, |
| Camburn, | L. D. Osborn, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | Sweezy, |
| Corey, | Packard, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Parker, | Taylor, |
| Dunlap, | F. Parsons, | Upton, |
| Greenfield, | S. T. Parsons, | Van Vleet, |
| Haven, | Parmelee, | Walker, |
| Healy, | Pearl, | Wilcox, |
| Hill, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Hopkins, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Howard, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Jewell, | Sexton, | |

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NAYS.

Mr. Barber,
Dussean,
Eck,

Mr. R. Jones,
Kedzie,

Mr. Lovell,
Wilson,

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The committee on public lands submitted the following report:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 181, entitled

A bill to repeal sections 4 and 5, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the draining of swamps, marshes, and other low lands, approved March 15, 1861, and to substitute two new sections therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. H. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. E. Spalding, by unanimous consent, offered the following:

Resolved, That 500 copies of the report of the special com-

mittee on the Detroit and Milwaukee railroad, be published for the benefit of the members of this House;

Which was not adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 204, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in the county of Menominee;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out all of section 5;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. L. Smith moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Kingsbury, | Shetterly, |
| Beall, | Locke, | L. Smith, |
| Bonine, | Lockwood, | R. B. Smith, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mallet, | Spence, |
| O. R. Brown, | McCutcheon, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Murray, | Sweezy, |
| Camburn, | Newell, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | W. H. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Packard, | Van Vleet, |
| Dunlap, | Parker, | Warner, |
| Dusseau, | F. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Eck, | S. T. Parsons, | White, |
| Fenton, | Parmelee, | Willard, |
| Grier, | Randall, | Wilson, |

Haven,
Healy,
Jewell,

Schars,
Sexton,

Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Ball,
Boies,
Howard,

Mr. Lovell,
Kedzie,
McKernan,

Mr. Slayton,
Stannard,

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following;

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bills:

1. House bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the commissioners of highways of the townships of Brockway and Emmett, in St. Clair county, as to building bridges across Mill Creek, between said townships;

2. House bill No. 231, entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved Feb. 22, 1865;

In the passage of which the Senate has concurred, by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The several bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

The Speaker also announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 302, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 339, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the reclamation and drainage of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by inserting at the end of the 17th sub-division, the following: "*Provided*, That no more lands are hereby appropriated than were contemplated, in the act to which this is amendatory: *And provided further*, That said appropriation shall be expended under the supervision of the State Swamp Land Commissioner;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. A. S. Brown moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Haven, | R. B. Smith, |
| Ball, | Howard, | E. Spalding, |
| Benedict, | Jewell, | Spence, |
| Boies, | Lockwood, | Stannard, |
| Bonine, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| A. S. Brown, | McKernan, | Sweezey, |
| O. R. Brown, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Canniff, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Camburn, | L. D. Osborn, | Upton, |
| Chauvin, | W. H. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Corey, | Packard, | Wells, |
| Crossman, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Deane, | Randall, | Wilcox, |
| Dunlap, | Robinson, | Willard, |
| Dussean, | Schars, | Woodward |
| Eck, | Sexton, | Speaker, |
| Fenton, | | |

NAYS.

| | | | |
|--------------|------------------|----------------|----|
| Mr. Barber, | Mr. J. H. Jones, | Mr. Shetterly, | |
| Beall, | R. Jones, | Slayton, | |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | O. C. Smith, | |
| Emerson, | Lovell, | Wilson, | |
| Healy, | Murray, | Wright, | |
| Jenness, | Parker, | | 17 |

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Mr. Barber moved that the House take a recess until half-past six o'clock this evening;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Woodman asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for an indefinite time.

Mr. J. H. Jones asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for an indefinite time.

Mr. A. S. Brown asked leave of absence for himself, for an indefinite time;

Which was not granted.

Mr. Barber asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for an indefinite time.

Mr. Randall asked leave of absence for himself, for an indefinite time;

Which was not granted.

Mr. W. H. Osborn asked and obtained leave of absence for himself, for an indefinite time.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 296, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 50, of the session laws of 1864;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same by striking out section 2;

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate,

Mr. L. Smith moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------|----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Shetterly, |
| Alexander, | Haven, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Healy, | O. C. Smith, |
| Beall, | Hill, | L. Smith, |
| Benedict, | Hopkins, | E. Spalding, |
| Boies, | Howard, | Spence, |
| Bonine, | Jewell, | Stannard, |
| O. B. Brown, | Kedzie, | Stevens, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | Sweezey, |
| Canniff, | Lockwood, | Swift, |
| Chauvin, | Mallet, | Taylor, |
| Corey, | McOutcheon, | Upton, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Van Fleet, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Walker, |
| Dunlap, | Newell, | Wells, |
| Dusseau, | F. Parsons, | White, |
| Eck, | Parmelee, | Wilcox, |
| Emerson, | Randall, | Willard, |
| Emery, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Gallup, | Schars, | Speaker, |
| Greenfield, | Shepherd, | |

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NAYS.

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| Mr. A. S. Brown, | Mr. [Mason, | Mr. S. T. Parsons, |
| Jenness, | L. D. Osborn, | Wilson, |
| Lovell, | W. H. Osborn, | Woodward, |

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Senate manuscript bill, entitled

A bill to compel railroad companies to provide their passenger coaches with aprons between the same, for protection to passengers, and for other purposes,

Being under consideration,

Mr. Warner moved that the bill be laid on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Healy, | Mr. Shepherd, |
| Alexander, | Hill, | Slayton, |
| Ball, | Hopkins, | C. C. Smith, |
| Beall, | Jewell, | L. Smith |
| W. G. Brown, | Kedzie, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | P. S. Spalding, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Stannard, |
| Corey, | McKernan, | Stevens, |
| Crossman, | Murray, | Sweezey, |
| Deane, | Newcombe, | Swift, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Taylor, |
| Dussean, | Packard, | Upton, |
| Eck, | F. Parsons, | Van Vleet, |
| Emery, | S. T. Parsons, | Wells, |
| Gallup, | Pearl, | Willard, |
| Greenfield, | Randall, | Wilson, |
| Grier, | Schars, | Wright, |
| Haven, | | |

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NAYS.

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mr. Benedict, | Mr. Howard, | Mr. Robinson, |
| Boies, | Lockwood, | Sexton, |
| Bonine, | Lovell, | Shetterly, |
| A. S. Brown, | Mallet, | Walker, |
| O. R. Brown, | Mason | Warner, |
| Chanvin, | Newell, | Woodward, |
| Emerson, | W. H. Osborn, | Speaker, |
| Fellows, | | |

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 218, entitled

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of certain State roads, and providing for the construction and improvement thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Mr. Aitken, | Mr. Grier, | Mr. Sexton, |
| Beall, | Haven, | Shepherd, |
| Benedict, | Hill, | Shetterly, |
| Boies, | Hopkins, | Slayton, |
| Bonine, | Howard, | C. C. Smith, |
| O. R. Brown, | Kingsbury, | L. Smith, |
| W. G. Brown, | Locke, | R. B. Smith, |
| Canpiff, | Lockwood, | E. Spalding, |
| Camburn, | Mallet, | Stevens, |
| Chauvin, | McOutcheon, | Swezey, |
| Corey, | Mickley, | Swift, |
| Crossman, | Newcombe, | Taylor, |
| Deane, | Newell, | Upton, |
| Dunlap, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Dusseau, | W. H. Osborn, | Wells, |
| Eck, | Packard, | White, |
| Emerson, | Parker, | Wilcox, |
| Emery, | F. Parsons, | Willard, |
| Fenton, | Parmelee, | Wilson, |
| Gallup, | Robinson, | Wright, |
| Greenfield, | Schars, | Speaker, |

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NAYS.

| | | |
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| Mr. Fellows, | Mr. Pearl, | Mr. Randall, |
| Lovell, | | |

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

The House took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

7½ o'clock P. M.

The House met, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

Mr. Alexander asked leave of absence for Mr. Ball, for one hour;

Which was not granted.

Mr. Bonine moved that there be a call of the House;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the House was called by the Clerk, and the following members were reported absent without leave:

Messrs. Aitken, Ball, Beall, Benedict, Canniff, Crossman, Dunlap, Emerson, Funston, Haven, Jewell, McCutcheon, McKernan, Miles, F. Parsons, Parmelee, Randall, Robinson, Schars, Shetterly, E. Spalding, Spence, Sweezey, Swift, Taylor, Tompkins, Upton, Walker, Warner, Wilson, Woodward and Wright.

On motion of Mr. Bonine,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Sweezey at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

Mr. Sweezey was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Parmelee at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

Mr. Parmelee was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. McKernan at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

Mr. McKernan was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Canniff at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Boies,

Mr. Canniff was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Walker at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

Mr. Walker was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. F. Parsons at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. L. Smith,

Mr. Parsons was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Warner at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Kedzie,

Mr. Warner was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Dunlap at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

Mr. Dunlap was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Taylor at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Holt,

Mr. Taylor was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Messrs. Spence, Wright and Shetterly at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. S. T. Parsons,

The several gentlemen were admitted within the bar of the House, rendered excuses, and took their seats.

Mr. Van Vleet moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. E. Spalding at the bar of the House.

On motion of Mr. Mickley,

Mr. E. Spalding was admitted within the bar of the House, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

On motion of Mr. Fenton,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Taylor moved that the House adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. C. R. Brown,

Eleven o'clock A. M. was fixed as the time for the daily meetings of the House for the remainder of the session.

The committee on internal improvements submitted the following report:

The committee on internal improvements, to whom was referred the following resolution:

Whereas, The State of Michigan, by the terms of sale of the Michigan Central Railroad, in 1846, did reserve to the State the right to re-purchase said road at any time after the first day of January, A. D. 1867, upon certain conditions therein specified;

And whereas, Said road has earned a large sum for its stockholders, for several continuous years, over and above its operating expenses, which for the year ending May 31st, 1866, was \$1,949,250, and the net receipts for the same year, over and above improvements, losses, interest, exchange and Government tax, was \$830,072, which average profit hereafter would of itself pay for the re-purchase of the road, in accordance with the conditions of its sale, within ten years from this date, and leave said property free and unincumbered to the State at the end of ten years; therefore

Resolved, That the committee on internal improvements be and they are hereby instructed to examine into the expediency of the purchase by the State of Michigan, of the Michigan Central Railroad, as provided by sections 36 and 37, of an act of the session laws of 1846, entitled "an act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," and to report thereon, in writing, to this House,

Respectfully report that owing to the limited time they have had to consider the same, they have instructed me to report the same back to the House without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAMES VAN VLEET, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The resolution was laid on the table.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following communication:

To the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

On behalf of the resident clergy of the city of Lansing, who have taken part in the religious services of the House of Representatives, during the session of the Legislature now closing, I desire to thank the members of the House for the very liberal donation of \$137, to be divided among said clergymen.

L. B. POTTER.

LANSING, March 28, 1867.

The communication was laid on the table.

The House then resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate manuscript joint resolution, entitled

Joint resolution to authorize the preparation of a history of the part borne by the State of Michigan in the war for the suppression of the great rebellion,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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| Mr. Boies, | Mr. Hopkins, | Mr. S. T. Parsons, |
| Bonine, | Howard, | Parmelee, |
| A. S. Brown, | Jenness, | Pearl, |
| C. R. Brown, | Kedzie, | Robinson, |
| Canniff, | Kingsbury, | Sexton, |
| Camburn, | Locke, | Shepherd, |
| Chauvin, | Lovell, | Shetterly, |
| Deane, | Mallet, | Slayton, |
| Dunlap, | McCutcheon, | L. Smith, |
| Eck, | McKernan, | R. B. Smith, |
| Emerson, | Mickley, | E. Spalding, |
| Fellows, | Murray, | Stevens, |
| Fenton, | Newcombe, | Sweezy, |
| Gallup, | Newell, | Taylor, |
| Greenfield, | L. D. Osborn, | Van Vleet, |
| Grier, | W. H. Osborn, | Walker, |

Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,

Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,

Wilcox,
Willard,
Speaker

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NAYS.

Mr. Alexander,
W. G. Brown,
Corey,
Dussean,

Mr. Lockwood,
O. O. Smith,
Spence,
Warner,

Mr. Wells,
White,
Wright,

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Title and preamble agreed to.

Senate bill No. 181, entitled

A bill to repeal sections four and five, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands, approved March 15, 1861, and to substitute two new sections therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr Alexander,
Beall,
Boies,
Bonine,
A. S. Brown,
Camburn,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Emerson,
Fellows,
Gallup,
Greenfield,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Howard,

Mr. Kingsbury,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
McKernan,
Mickley,
Murray,
W. H. Osborn,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Robinson,
Shepherd,
Slayton,

Mr. L. Smith,
R. B. Smith
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Stevens,
Sweeney,
Taylor,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Walker,
Warner,
Wells
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. O. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Chauvin,
Corey,

Mr. Eck,
Hopkins,
Jenness,
Kedzie,
Locke,

Mr. L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
Sexton,
Shetterly,
O. O. Smith,

Crossman,
Dusseau,

Newcombe,
Newell,

Wright,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Shepherd,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, announced the following:

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 25, 1867. }

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR—I am instructed to return to the House the following bill:

House bill No. 219, entitled

A bill to provide for the registration of births, marriages and deaths;

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same, by adding after the word "perjury," in line 22, section 8, the following proviso: "*Provided*, That no person shall be required to answer any question which will tend to criminate himself or herself, upon any such examination;"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the Senate has concurred by a majority vote of all the Senators elect.

Very respectfully,

THOS. H. GLENN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Haven moved that the House concur in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate;

Which motion prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Alexander,
Boies,
C. R. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,

Mr. Jenness,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Levell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McCutcheon,
Mickley,

Mr. Shepherd,
Shetterly,
Slayton,
O. C. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Sweezey,

Deane,
Dunlap,
Eck,
Emerson,
Grier,
Haven,
Healy,
Hill,
Holt,
Hopkins,

Murray,
Newcombe,
Newell,
L. D. Osborn,
Packard,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Parmelee,
Robinson,
Sexton,

Taylor,
Upton,
Van Vleet,
Warner,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Wilson,
Wright,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Bonine, Mr. Greenfield, Mr. Lockwood. 3

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment, for enrollment.

Senate bill No. 267, entitled

A bill making appropriations to enable the State Board of Education to purchase and complete a building for the use of the Normal School,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Alexander,
Benedict,
Boies,
Bonine,
C. R. Brown,
Chauvin,
Corey,
Crossman,
Deane,
Dunlap,
Emerson,
Emery,
Fenton,
Grier,
Healy,

Mr. Holt,
Hopkins,
Howard,
Jenness,
Jewell,
Kedzie,
Kingsbury,
Locke,
Newcombe,
W. H. Osborn,
Packard,
Parker,
F. Parsons,
S. T. Parsons,
Shetterly,

Mr. Slayton,
L. Smith,
R. B. Smith,
E. Spalding,
Spence,
Stannard,
Sweezy,
Taylor,
Upton,
Walker,
Wells,
White,
Wilcox,
Willard,
Speaker,

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NAYS.

Mr. Beall,
A. S. Brown,
W. G. Brown,
Canniff,
Camburn,
Dusseau,

Mr. Hill,
Lockwood,
Lovell,
Mallet,
Mason,
McOutcheon,

Mr. Parmelee,
Pearl,
Robinson,
Sexton,
Shepherd,
C. O. Smith,

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| Eck, | McKernan, | Stevens, | |
| Fellows, | Mickley, | Van Vleet, | |
| Gallup, | Murray, | Warner, | |
| Greenfield, | Newell, | Wilson, | |
| Haven, | L. D. Osborn, | Wright, | 83 |

Mr. Deane moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 18³, entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Mason county, Michigan;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Boies moved that a committee of two be appointed to inform the Senate that the House has concluded its labors, and is now ready to adjourn;

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed as such committee, Messrs. Boies and Grier.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE:—You have, by patient and diligent application to business, and a sacrificing devotion to the faithful discharge of public duty, completed the responsible and important labors assigned you; and, the hour of final separation having come, it may not be inappropriate for me, at this time, and standing in this honored place, to express my sincere gratitude and heartfelt thanks for the uniform courtesy and kindness which have been manifested by each member and officer of the House, in their relations and intercourse with the chair, during the present protracted legislative session. If I have succeeded, during the excitement and asperity of debate, with your coöperation, to enforce the rules of the House and the demands of parliamentary law, with impartiality, and without offense, I have fulfilled a task as difficult in its execution as it is essential for the proper government and harmony of a deliberative body. When you assembled in this place, and took upon yourselves these responsibilities, you came together as strangers; but having been actuated by a common desire to promote the advantage and prosperity of the commonwealth, you have labored and coöperated to secure by legislation, that

which was believed to be for the best interests of the people, and the benefit and honor of the entire State. How far you may have succeeded in accomplishing these objects, the developments of the future alone will reveal; while, from the acquaintances here made, personal attachments have been formed, which have ripened into pure and lasting friendship, that will be remembered by you all, with feelings of satisfaction and great pleasure.

Gentlemen, although you met as strangers, I trust with confidence that you will part as friends, and that when separated from each other here, you may be returned in safety to your respective families and constituencies, to meet the warm embrace and affectionate welcome of the one, and receive the kind and generous approval of the other, while higher and more distinguished honors await you in the future; and if at this parting you are separated to meet no more below, then may the benignant smiles of Heaven rest with cheering rays upon your future pathway through life, the consolations of the gospel of peace be your support in the hour of death, the divine approval and the glorious and triumphant felicities of the life above be your eternal rewards in heaven.

Gentlemen, I bid you each and all a kind and affectionate adieu.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the House has concluded its labors and is ready to adjourn, reported that they had performed the duty assigned them.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at eleven o'clock.

Lansing, Tuesday, March 26, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills and joint resolutions:

A bill to amend sections 1 and 3, of an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a road, to be known as the Montcalm and Gratiot State road, approved March 18, 1865;

Also,

A bill to provide for the re-assessment and collection of certain taxes in the township of Penn, in the county of Cass;

Also,

A bill to provide for the payment of the interest on the State debt;

Also,

A bill to repeal act No. 216, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, and acts amendatory thereof, the same being an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands, in so much as relates to the counties of Monroe, Oakland and Wayne;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 102, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 10, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855;

Also,

A bill to detach the county of Emmet from the third judicial circuit, and attach the same to the thirteenth judicial circuit;

Also,

A bill to legalize the action of the township authorities of the township of White Oak, in the county of Ingham, in audit-

ing and paying the claims of the several persons, by reason of moneys paid or advanced by them, for the payment of bounties to volunteers, who enlisted to fill the quota of said township, under the last two calls of the President;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 11 and 18, of chapter 150, of the revised statutes of A. D. 1846, the same being sections 5647 and 5649, of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill to authorize the township of Delhi, in the county of Ingham, to raise by tax a sum of money for the purpose of draining a swamp in said township, and appropriating swamp land to aid in the same;

Also,

A bill to provide for the registration of births, marriages and deaths;

Also,

A bill to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, being act No. 163, of the session laws of 1861;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 39, of session laws of A. D. 1865, entitled an act to amend section 15, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws, relative to the duties of overseers of highways approved February 10, 1865, and to amend section 9, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill to detach the county of Cheboygan from the first judicial circuit, and to attach the same to the eleventh judicial circuit;

Also,

A bill to amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Marquette, approved Feb. 10, 1859;

Also,

A bill to authorize Edmund Burroughs to build a dam across Flat River, in the township of Vergennes, in Kent county;

Also,

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend act No. 61, of the session laws of 1863, entitled an act to authorize the building of a bridge across the Menominee river, and to appropriate six sections of swamp lands to the county of Menominee, for the purpose of building the same, approved March 4, 1865, by adding two new sections thereto;

Also,

A bill to authorize the trustees of the first Methodist Episcopal Church, of the township of Park, in the county of St. Joseph, to convey real estate;

Also,

A bill to organize young men's Christian Associations;

Also,

A bill to quiet the title to certain lands;

Also,

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Sheridan, in the county of Oalhoun, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for said township, by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, t aid in suppressing the rebellion;

Also,

A bill to authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money, or raise by tax, a sum for aid to the fire department;

Also,

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Also,

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Also,

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Also,

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Also,

A bill relating to the planting of trees or shrubs in the highway, being a bill to amend section 1111, being section 2, of chapter 25, of the compiled laws, and to add two new sections thereto;

Also,

A bill to authorize the common council of the city of Detroit to divide any ward of said city into two wards or election districts, and to provide for the registration of qualified electors therein;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 250, of the session laws of 1861, and to add a new section thereto, relative to juvenile offenders;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 235, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175, of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases;"

Also,

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Also,

A bill to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of roads;

Also,

A bill for the incorporation of industrial and other charitable schools;

Also,

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Also,

A bill to enable the township of Wayne, county of Cass, to redeem its pledges in paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in the suppression of the rebellion;

Also,

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Also,

A bill to amend section 8, of an act entitled an act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, to be known as the Ingham and Clinton State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved March 20, 1865;

Also,

A bill to change the time for holding the annual meeting of union school district No 1, in the city and township of Niles, in the county of Berrien;

Also,

A bill to authorize the graded and high school of the city of Battle Creek, in the county of Calhoun, to issue bonds;

Also,

A bill to amend section 72, of chapter 119, being section 4042 of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill for the relief of settlers on swamp lands;

Also,

A bill to amend chapter 89, of the compiled laws, in regard to the support of the poor, by adding a new section thereto;

Also,

A bill to provide for additional voting precincts, in the township of Tecumseh;

Also,

A bill to prevent animals from running at large in the public highways;

Also,

A bill in relation to security for costs;

Also,

A bill to establish the place for holding the next township meeting, in the township of Grand Haven, in the county of Ottawa;

Also,

A bill to amend section 181, of an act to revise the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, being act No. 214, of the session laws of 1865, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money;

Also,

A bill to amend section 1987, being section 42, of chapter 64, of the compiled laws, it being an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855, so as to require all persons and companies owning or occupying railroads, to fence the same;

Also,

A bill to legalize the action of the electors of the township of Olive, Clinton county, in voting bounties to volunteers;

Also,

A bill relating to certain bonds issued by the trustees of school district No. 1, of the township of Portage, in the county of Houghton;

Also,

A bill to organize the township of Howard, in the county of Muskegon;

Also,

A bill to authorize the board of trustees of fractional union school district No. 1, of the city of Grand Rapids, to borrow money;

Also,

A bill supplementary to an act to authorize the formation of

corporations for mining, smelting or manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved February 15, 1858;

Also,

A bill to amend section 7, of chapter 70, of the revised statutes, being section 2333, of the compiled laws, in regard to special administrators;

Also,

A bill for the protection of the rights of females;

Also,

A bill to provide for the improvement of the Saginaw river, and to authorize the cities of Saginaw, East Saginaw, the townships of Zilwaukie, Buena Vista, Carrolton and Spaulding, in Saginaw county, to raise money by tax in aid thereof;

Also,

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county;

Also,

A bill to legalize the action of the corporate authorities of the city of Ann Arbor, in issuing bonds or certificates of indebtedness to aid in the repair and improvement of the observatory building in said city, and to provide for the payment thereof;

Also,

A bill rendering persons disqualified for sitting as jurors in certain cases;

Also,

A bill to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Blackman, in the county of Jackson, and State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of a debt contracted by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

Also,

A bill to authorize the township of Menominee, in the county of Menominee, to establish and maintain a free ferry across the Menominee river;

Also,

A bill to authorize the formation of union school district No. 1, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena;

Also,

A bill to amend section 8, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, being act No. 163, of the session laws of 1861;

Also,

A bill to amend section 3488, of the compiled laws;

Also,

A bill for the protection of land, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom;

Also,

A bill to amend section 39, of chapter 154, of the revised statutes 1846, being section 5788, of the compiled laws, relative to false pretenses;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 100, of the session laws of 1848, incorporating the Detroit and Saline plank road company, by adding a new section;

Also,

A bill to amend section 1, of Act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands;

Also,

A bill to provide a tax for the expenses of the State government;

Also,

A bill to amend section 1259, of the compiled laws, being section 19, of chapter 31, of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to weights and measures;

Also,

A bill to amend section 28, of the act to authorize the business [of banking, approved February 16, 1857, being act No. 135, of the session laws of 1857;

Also,

A bill for the protection of females;

Also,

A bill to authorize the district board, of fractional school district number five, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

A bill to protect property on the Saginaw river, from fire;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Governor to relinquish the right of the State to certain lands, to the United States;

Also,

Joint resolution relative to customs and excise;

Also,

Joint resolution for the relief of Henry Johr, John E. Kitton, John Canan and Francis Krouse;

Also,

Joint resolution for the relief of Frederick Annis;

Also,

Joint resolution asking Congress for an appropriation of money, to improve the harbor at the mouth of Cheboygan river;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land to L. Alonzo Mallery, of the township of Reading, Michigan;

Also,

A bill to exempt the county of Ionia, and all of the townships of Oakland county, except Royal Oak, from the operation of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, and the acts amendatory thereof;

Also,

A bill to provide for the further improvement of the East Saginaw and Sauble river, and Duncan, Alpena and Sauble river State roads;

Also,

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State

road from Birch Run to Ochesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes to aid in the construction of the same;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office, to issue a certificate of purchase of certain lands to George S. Freer, of Lima, Michigan;

Also,

A bill to organize the fifth highway district in the city of Lansing;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of Masonic lodges, approved March 10, 1865, and to add a new section thereto;

Also,

A bill to repeal the charter of the Monroe and Flat Rock plank road company.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 26, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to authorize the Iron Cliff's company to acquire and hold certain lands, and to acquire and hold stock in certain companies.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Locke,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 11 o'clock.

Lansing, Wednesday, March 27, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and this day presented to the Governor, the following bills and joint resolutions:

A bill appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of highways in Gratiot county;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Middleville, in the county of Barry;

Also,

A bill to prescribe the powers of boards of supervisors, in certain cases;

Also,

A bill to authorize the correction of the plat of the village of Burr Oak;

Also,

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in the county of Menominee;

Also,

A bill to provide for proceeding by attachment, in certain cases;

Also,

A bill making appropriation to build two houses, a kitchen, bakery and laundry, for the State Reform School, and for warming the main building with steam;

Also,

A bill to attach certain territory to union school district No. 1, in the township of Columbia;

Also,

A bill to amend chapter 126, of the revised statutes of 1846,

being chapter 154, of the compiled laws, by adding a new section thereto, relating to miners' liens upon mining property;

Also,

A bill supplementary to an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved February 12, 1855;

Also,

A bill to repeal section 5, of chapter 181, of the compiled laws, being chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act 95, of the session laws of 1849, and act 323, of the session laws of 1850, being section 4443, of the compiled laws, relative to executions, and to add to said chapter 181, of the compiled laws, a new section, to stand as section 55;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties, approved February 15, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof;

Also,

A bill to establish a board of public works in and for the city of Detroit;

Also,

A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 128, being section 4348 of the compiled laws, in regard to notes of issue;

Also,

A bill to amend section 537, being section 95, of chapter 12, of compiled laws, relative to the compensation of certain township officers;

Also,

A bill to authorize the collection of fines in certain cases by execution;

Also,

A bill to provide for issuing patents for certain lands;

Also,

A bill to legalize the action of the commissioners of highways

of the townships of Brockway and Emmet, in St. Clair county, as to building a bridge across Mill Creek, between said townships;

Also,

A bill to fix the liability of railroad companies, as common carriers, in certain cases;

Also,

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations, conventions, conferences for religious or other benevolent purposes;

Also,

A bill to amend sections 1 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved Feb. 22, 1865;

Also,

A bill to organize the township of Ingallston, in the county of Menominee;

Also,

A bill to authorize the Hamtramck and Warren plank road company to increase the tolls on said road;

Also,

A bill to amend an act entitled an act imposing a specific tax upon corporations and chartered companies, engaged in the business of mining, smelting, and refining ores in this State approved March 10, 1865;

Also,

A bill to protect the title of the owners of floating logs and lumber;

Also,

A bill to authorize the Roman Catholic bishops of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust for the use of the church;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 339, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide

for the reclamation and drainage of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches;

Also,

A bill to provide for copying and binding mutilated assessment rolls and other papers;

Also,

A bill to authorize dissection in certain cases, for the advancement of science;

Also,

A bill to provide for the laying out and constructing a road in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain taxes therefor;

Also,

A bill to amend act No. 50, of the session laws of 1864;

Also,

A bill to provide for the incorporation of churches of Christ;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office, to issue a certificate of sale of certain land, to Alexander Wattles, Jr., of Troy, Oakland county, Michigan;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Houghton;

Also,

A bill to incorporate the village of Paw Paw.

DANIEL UPTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Upton,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 11 o'clock.

Lansing, Thursday, March 28, 1867.

The House met, pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The Speaker announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 27, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Sheridan, in the county of Calhoun, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for said township, by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

Also,

An act to legalize the action of the township of White Oak, in the county of Ingham, in auditing and paying the claims of the several persons, by reason of money paid or advanced by them, for the payment of bounties to volunteers who enlisted to fill the quota of said township, under the two last calls of the President;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 33, of session laws of 1865, entitled an act to amend section 15, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws relative to the duties of overseers of highways, approved Feb. 19, 1865, and to amend section 9, of chapter 21, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to authorize the collection of taxes in certain cases, by executions;

Also,

An act to provide for issuing patents for certain lands;

Also,

An act to attach certain territory to union school district No. 1, in the township of Columbia;

Also,

An act to amend section 6, of chapter 128, being section 3348, of the compiled laws, in regard to notes of issue;

Also,

An act to amend chapter 126, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 154, of the compiled laws, by adding a new section thereto, relating to miners liens upon mining property;

Also,

An act to amend section 587, being section 95, of chapter 12, of compiled laws, relative to the compensation of certain township officers;

Also,

An act to provide for the incorporation of churches of Christ;

Also,

An act appropriating certain non-resident highway taxes for the improvement of highways in Gratiot county;

Also,

An act to fix the liability of railroad companies as common carriers in certain cases;

Also,

An act to authorize the township of Delhi, in the county of Ingham, to raise by tax, a sum of money for the purpose of draining a swamp in said township, and appropriating swamp lands to aid in the same;

Also,

An act to authorize Edmund Burroughs to build a dam across Flat river, in the township of Vergennes, in Kent county;

Also,

An act to amend section 72, of chapter 119, being section 4042, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Middleville, in the county of Barry;

Also,

An act relating to the planting of trees or shrubs in the highway, being a bill to amend section 1111, being section 2, of chapter 25, of the compiled laws, and to add two new sections thereto;

Also,

An act to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of roads;

Also,

An act for the incorporation of industrial and other charitable schools;

Also,

An act to provide for the registration of birth, marriages and deaths;

Also,

An act to provide for the further improvement of the East Saginaw and Sauble River, and the Duncan, Alpena and Sauble River State roads;

Also,

An act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road from Birch Run to Chesaning, in Saginaw county, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes to aid in the construction of the same;

Also,

An act to amend sections 11 and 13, of chapter 150, of the revised statutes of A. D. 1846, the same being sections 5647 and 5649, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to legalize the action of the corporate authorities of the city of Ann Arbor, in issuing bonds or certificates of indebtedness, to aid in the repair and improvement of the observatory building in said city, and to provide for the payment thereof;

Also,

An act to provide for additional voting precincts in the township of Tecumseh;

Also,

An act to promote the collection of debts by creditors of railroad companies;

Also,

An act to amend sections 1185, 1186 and 1187, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 88 of said laws,

in reference to the recording of town plats and the vacating of the same;

Also,

An act to amend section 28, of the act to authorize the business of banking, approved Feb. 16, 1857, being act No. 135, of the session laws of 1857;

Also,

An act making appropriation to build two houses, a kitchen, bakery and laundry, for the State Reform School, and for warming the main building by steam;

Also,

An act to repeal section 5, of chapter 131, of the compiled laws, being chapter 106, of the revised statutes 1846, as amended by act 95, of the session laws of 1842, and act 323, of the session laws of 1850, being section 4443 of the compiled laws relative to executions, and to add to said chapter 131, of the compiled laws, a new section, to stand as section 55;

Also,

Joint resolution for the relief of Frederick Annis;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 339, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the reclamation and drainage of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches;

Also,

An act to protect the title of the owners of floating logs and lumber;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act imposing a specific tax upon corporations and chartered companies engaged in the business of mining, smelting and refining ores, in this State, approved March 10, 1865;

Also,

An act to organize the township of Ingallston, in the county of Menominee;

Also,

An act to provide for the incorporation of associations, conventions, conferences or religious bodies, for literary, religious or other benevolent purposes;

Also,

An act to authorize the Hamtramck and Warren plank road company, to increase the tolls on said road;

Also,

An act to amend sections 1 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved February 22, 1865;

Also,

An act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in the county of Menominee;

Also,

An act to provide for proceedings by attachment in certain cases;

Also,

An act to tax banking associations organized under the laws of the United States;

Also,

An act to authorize the Roman Catholic bishops of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust for the use of the church;

Also,

An act to provide for copying and binding mutilated assessment rolls and other papers;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land to Alexander Wattles, jr., of Troy, Oakland county, Michigan;

Also,

An act supplementary to an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12 1855;

Also,

An act to provide for the payment of the interest on the State debt;

Also,

An act to provide for the laying out and constructing a road in the township of Nankin, in the county of Wayne, and appropriating certain lands therefor;

Also,

An act to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, being act No. 163, of the session laws of 1861;

Also,

An act to amend section 1, of act No. 216, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act to provide for the drainage of swamps, marshes and other low lands;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 235, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175 of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases;"

Also,

An act to amend act No. 50, of the session laws of 1864;

Also,

An act to organize the 5th highway district in the city of Lansing;

Also,

An act to amend act No 250, of the session laws of 1861, and to add a new section thereto, relative to juvenile offenders;

Also,

An act rendering persons disqualified for sitting as jurors in certain cases;

Also,

An act to authorize the levying a tax in the township of Blackman, in the county of Jackson, and State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of a debt

contracted by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion;

Also,

An act to amend section 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, to be known as the Ingham and Clinton State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved March 20, 1865;

Also,

An act to legalize the action of the electors of the township of Olive, Clinton county, in voting bounties to volunteers;

Also,

An act to legalize the action of the commissioners of highways of the townships of Brockway and Emmett, in St. Clair county, as to building a bridge across Mill Creek, between said townships;

Also,

An act supplementary to an act entitled an act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein;

Also,

An act to amend chapter 89, of the compiled laws, in regard to the support of the poor, by adding a new section thereto;

Also,

Joint resolution relative to customs and excise;

Also,

Joint resolution asking Congress for an appropriation of money to improve the harbor at the mouth of Cheboygan river;

Also,

Joint resolution for the relief of Henry Johr, John E. Kitton, John Canan and Francis Krouse;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the commissioner of the State Land Office to issue a certificate of sale of certain land, to L. Alonzo Mallery, of the township of Reading, Michigan;

Also,

An act to amend section 7, of chapter 70, of the revised statutes, being section 2883, of the compiled laws, in regard to special administrators;

Also,

An act to establish the place for holding the next township meeting in the township of Grand Haven, in the county of Ottawa;

Also,

An act to organize the township of Howard, in the county of Muskegon;

Also,

An act supplementary to an act to authorize the formation of corporations for mining, smelting or manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved February 15, 1853;

Also,

An act to authorize the formation of union school district No. 1, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena;

Also,

An act to change the time for holding the annual meeting of union school district No. 1, in the city and township of Niles, in the county of Berrien;

Also,

Joint resolution providing for the distribution of highway laws to certain county and township officers;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Governor to relinquish the right of the State to certain lands, to the United States;

Also,

An act to authorize the graded and high school of the city of Battle Creek, in the county of Calhoun, to issue bonds;

Also,

An act to authorize the township of Menominee, in the county of Menominee, to establish and maintain a free ferry across the Menominee river;

Also,

An act for the relief of settlers on swamp lands;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act to authorize proceedings by garnishment in the circuit courts, and in the district court of the Upper Peninsula, approved March 16, 1861;

Also,

An act to prevent animals from running at large in the public highways;

Also,

An act relating to certain bonds issued by the trustees of school district No. 1, of the township of Portage, in the county of Houghton;

Also,

An act to authorize dissection in certain cases, for the advancement of science;

Also,

An act to amend section 1, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, approved March 15, 1861;

Also,

An act to authorize the common council of the city of Detroit to divide any ward of said city into two wards or election districts, and to provide for the registration of qualified electors therein;

Also,

An act further to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the construction of train railways;

Also,

An act to amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Marquette, approved February 10, 1859;

Also,

An act to amend section 3438, of the compiled laws;

Also,

An act to detach the county of Cheboygan from the third ju-

dicial circuit, and to attach the same to the eleventh judicial circuit;

Also,

An act to amend sections 2 and 3, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of masonic lodges, approved March 10, 1865, and to add a new section thereto;

Also,

An act to amend section 8, of act number 231, of the session laws of 1863, relative to proceedings by garnishment;

Also,

An act to exempt the county of Ionia, and all the townships of Oakland county, except Royal Oak, from the operation of act number 216, of the session laws of the year of our Lord, 1861, and acts amendatory thereof;

Also,

An act in relation to security for costs;

Also,

An act to amend section 1987, being section 43, of chapter 67, of the compiled laws, it being an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855, so as to require all persons and companies owning or occupying railroads to fence the same;

Also,

An act to amend section 1259, of the compiled laws, being section 19, of chapter 31, of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to weights and measures;

Also,

An act for the protection of land, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom;

Also,

An act to protect mechanics and other laborers, in the quiet and peaceable pursuit of their avocations;

Also,

An act to repeal the charter of the Monroe and Flat Rock plank road company;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 100, of the session laws of 1848, incorporating the Detroit and Saline plank road company, by adding a new section;

Also,

An act to amend section 89, of chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5783, of the compiled laws, relative to false pretenses;

Also,

An act for the protection of the rights of females;

Also,

An act to protect property on the Saginaw river from fire;

Also,

An act to detach the county of Emmet from the third judicial circuit, and attach the same to the thirteenth judicial circuit;

Also,

An act to provide a tax for the expenses of the State government;

Also,

An act to amend sections 1 and 3, of an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a road to be known as the Montcalm and Gratiot State road, approved March 18, 1865;

Also,

An act to authorize the board of trustees of fractional union school district No. 1, of the city of Grand Rapids, to borrow money;

Also,

An act to amend act No. 102, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section 10, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved Feb. 12, 1855;

Also,

An act to define and limit the amount of money which may be granted and voted by the qualified electors of townships, for

the purpose of erecting town halls or other buildings, for the public use of the inhabitants thereof;

Also,

An act to provide for the re-assessment and collection of certain taxes in the township of Penn, in the county of Cass;

Also,

An act to authorize the trustees of the first Methodist Episcopal church, of the township of Park, in the county of St. Joseph, to convey real estate;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act to amend act No. 61, of the session laws of 1863, entitled an act to authorize the building of a bridge across the Menominee river, and to appropriate six sections of swamp lands to the county of Menominee, for the purpose of building the same, approved March 4, 1865, by adding two new sections thereto;

Also,

An act to quiet the title to certain lands;

Also,

An act for the relief of railroads in the Upper Peninsula;

Also,

An act to authorize the township of Sebewaing, in the county of Huron, to raise money by tax, for the purposes therein mentioned;

Also,

An act to amend section 151, of an act to revise the charter of the city of Ypsilanti, being act No. 214, of the session laws of 1865, and to authorize the common council of said city to borrow money;

Also,

An act to enable the township of Wayne, in the county of Cass, to redeem its pledges in paying bounties to volunteers, to aid in the suppression of the rebellion;

Also,

An act to authorize the organization of young men's christian associations;

Also,

An act to provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county;

Also,

An act to authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money or raise by tax, a sum for aid to fire department;

Also,

An act to authorize the district board of fractional school district No. 5, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned;.

Also,

An act to provide for the improvement of the Saginaw river, and to authorize the cities of Saginaw, East Saginaw, the townships of Zilwaukee, Buena Vista, Carrolton and Spaulding in Saginaw county, to raise money by tax in aid thereof;

Also,

Joint resolution authorizing the Commissioner of the State Land Office, to issue a certificate of purchase of certain lands, to George S. Freer, of Parma, Michigan.

HENRY H. ORAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

The Speaker also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, the following, viz:

An act to authorize the correction of the plat of the village of Burr Oak;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Houghton;

Also,

An act to incorporate the village of Paw Paw;

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties, approved Feb. 15, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof;

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Concurrent resolution;

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Concurrent resolution.

HENRY H. CRAPO.

The message was laid on the table.

The hour of 12 o'clock noon, having arrived, and there being no further business to be transacted, the Speaker declared the House adjourned, *sine die*.

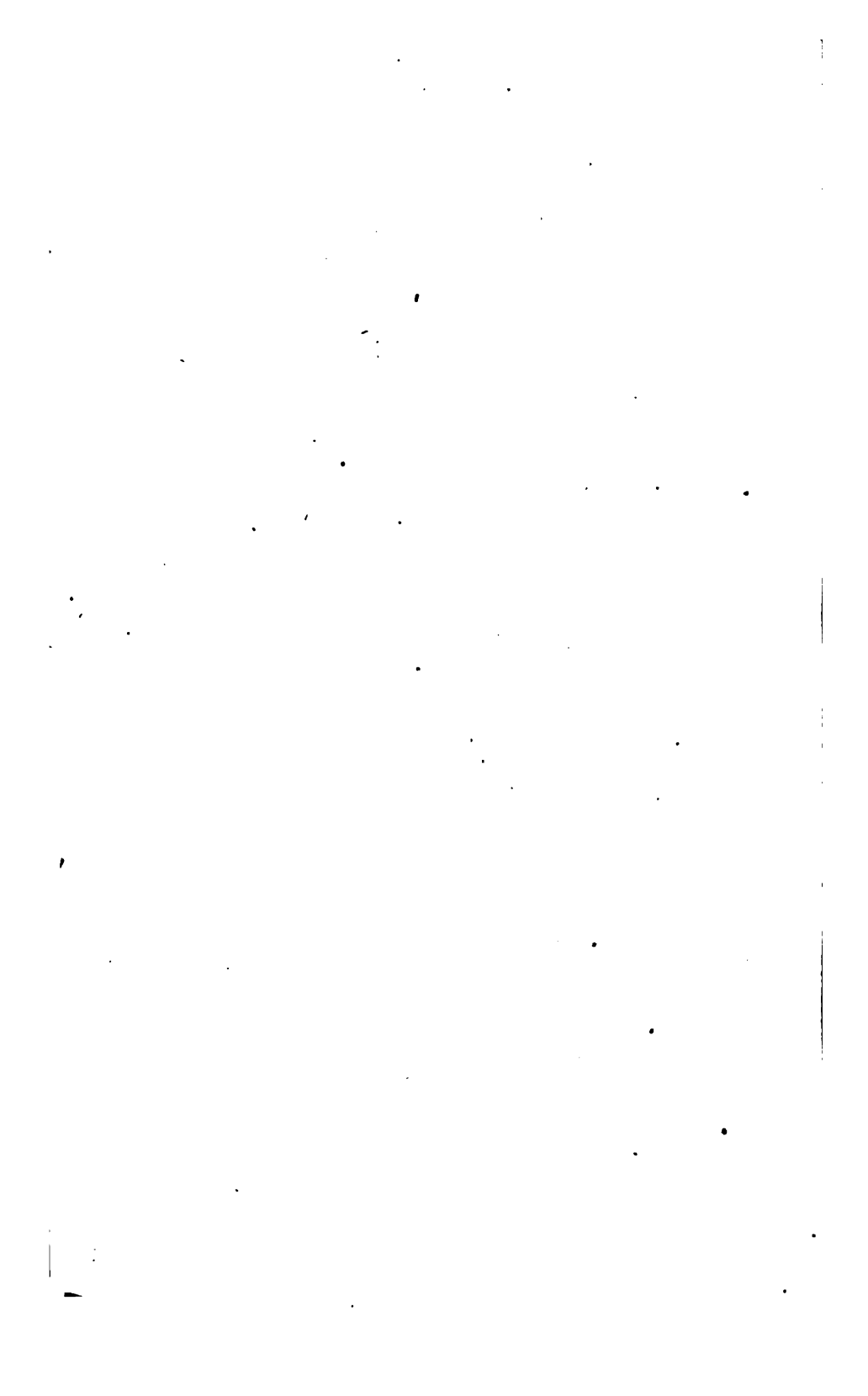
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, March 28, 1867. }

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct journal of the proceedings of the House of Representatives, of the Legislature of Michigan, for the year 1867.

N. B. JONES,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.



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| introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 80 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 87 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 154-5 |
| passed,..... | 167 |
| 27. To amend sections 5690 and 5691, of the compiled laws, being sections two and three, of an act relative to the costs of proceedings in criminal cases, approved March 13, 1849; | |
| introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 80 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 387 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 896-7 |
| passed,..... | 967 |
| returned, not passed, and tabled,..... | 2016 |
| 28. To amend section two of an act entitled an act for the relief of school districts, approved February 7, 1855, and to add two new sections thereto; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref.,..... | 80 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 85 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 129 |
| passed,..... | 151 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 493 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 636 |
| notice of approval,..... | 684 |

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| 29. To amend an act entitled an "act for assessing property at its true value, and for levying and collecting taxes thereon," approved February 14, 1853, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved Feb. 12, 1865, and Feb. 14, 1858; | |
| introduced by Mr. S. T. Parsons, and ref.,..... | 81 |
| reported and ref. to com of whole,..... | 933 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1875 |
| recommitted, reported and passed,..... | 1933-5 |
| 30. Attaching certain territory to the township of Helena, Antrim county; | |
| rep. by com. on towns and counties and ref. to com. whole, | 88 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 188-9 |
| passed,..... | 210 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 491 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 636 |
| notice of approval,..... | 684 |
| 31. To provide for laying out and establishing a State road from the township of Chesanaw to the township of Spalding, all in the county of Saginaw, and to appropriate swamp lands to aid in the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Taylor, and ref.,..... | 96 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 516 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1213 |
| passed,..... | 1222 |
| 32. To amend an act entitled "an act to establish a police government for the city of Detroit," and to add two new sections thereto; | |
| introduced by Mr. Spence, and ref.,..... | 96 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 178 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 541 |
| passed,..... | 579 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1254 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1609 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1670 |
| 33. To confirm the title of the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw Railroad company to the property, rights and franchises acquired by it of the Amboy, Lansing and Traverse Bay Railroad company; | |
| introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref.,..... | 96 |
| reported and passed,..... | 121-2 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 419 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 637 |
| notice of approval,..... | 684 |
| 34. To provide for the ascertaining and giving notice of the title of the lands of the heirs of deceased persons; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... | 96 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 123 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 219 |
| passed,..... | 273 |
| returned from Senate and ref. to com on the judiciary,... | 1459 |
| reported and amendments concurred in,..... | 1666 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1781 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1796 |
| 35. To repeal section 28 of the act to authorize the business of banking, approved Feb. 16, 1857; | |
| introduced by Mr. Wilson, and ref.,..... | 96 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 124 |
| com. of whole dis. from and recommitted,..... | 751 |
| substitute reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1064-5 |

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| 35. To repeal section 28 of the act to authorize the business of banking, approved Feb. 16, 1857; | |
| com. whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1784 |
| passed, | 1805 |
| returned from Senate, | 2506 |
| reported enrolled, | 2550 |
| notice of approval, | 2569 |
| 36. To authorize (graded) school district number eight, of the township of Ingham, in the county of Ingham, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref., | 97 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 104 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 189 |
| passed, | 213 |
| returned from Senate, | 886 |
| reported enrolled, | 1008 |
| notice of approval, | 1053 |
| 37. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamps, marshes, and other low lands, by means of a State road to be known as the Van Buren county State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Woodman, and ref., | 97 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 516 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 1213 |
| passed, | 1224 |
| 38. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches; | |
| introduced by Mr. Emery, and ref., | 97 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1244 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading, | 1764-5 |
| passed, | 1768 |
| 39. To amend section 3786, chapter 117, of the compiled laws, in relation to transcripts of judgments rendered by justices of the peace; | |
| introduced by Mr. S. T. Parsons, and ref., | 97 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole, | 132-3 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 219 |
| passed, | 272 |
| returned from Senate, | 564 |
| reported enrolled, | 636 |
| notice of approval, | 684 |
| 40. To provide for the appointment of emigrant agents by the several counties, and to provide for their compensation by bounties upon actual settlers in such counties; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref., | 98 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 352 |
| reported and made special order, | 672-3 |
| rep. and all after en. clause stricken out, en. clause tabled, | 767 |
| en. clause taken from table, reconsid. and bill tabled, | 827 |
| 41. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Niles, approved Feb. 12, 1859; | |
| introduced by Mr. Bonina, and ref., | 98 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1019 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and passed, | 1539-40 |
| returned from Senate, | 1708 |
| re-returned from Senate, | 1879 |
| reported enrolled, | 2006 |
| notice of approval, | 2012 |

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| 42. To legalize the action of the township of Marquette and the township of Chocolay, in the county of Marquette, in raising money to macadamize a road between said townships; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref., | 98 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole | 106 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 189 |
| passed, | 216 |
| returned from Senate, | 565 |
| reported enrolled, | 637 |
| notice of approval, | 684 |
| 43. To amend section 10, of act No. 188, of session laws of 1861, entitled an act to reorganize the Agricultural College of the State of Michigan, and to establish a State Board of Agriculture; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Ball, and ref., | 98 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 104 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 189 |
| passed, | 214 |
| returned from Senate, | 823 |
| reported enrolled, | 1285 |
| notice of approval, | 1328 |
| 44. To repeal all existing laws, rules and provisions of law, restricting or controlling the right of a party to agree with an attorney, solicitor or counselor, for his compensation, and to more accurately fix and determine the costs to be allowed to the prevailing parties in suits at law in the circuit court; | |
| Introduced by Mr. S. T. Parsons, and ref., | 99 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 123 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 614 |
| lost, | 663 |
| reconsidered and passed, | 688 |
| returned from Senate, | 1625 |
| reported enrolled, | 1872 |
| notice of approval, | 1958 |
| 45. To provide for the revision of the Constitution of the State of Michigan; | |
| reported by com. on State af. and ref. to com. of whole, .. | 104 |
| com. whole dis. from and made special ord., | 205 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 335 |
| passed, | 403 |
| returned from Senate and recommitted, | 885 |
| reported, S. amendments non-concurred in, | 903 |
| re-returned from S., and com. of conference appointed, ... | 977 |
| reported and made special order, | 1045-7 |
| rep. and second com. of conf. appointed, | 1142-4 |
| reported, | 1175 |
| ret. from S., recommendations of com. of conf. concur'd in | 1198 |
| report of com. of conference tabled, | 1212 |
| third com. of conf. appointed, | 1285 |
| report of com. of conf. upon, tabled, | 1529-30 |
| re-returned from S., and rept. of com. of conf. taken from | |
| table and recommendations concurred in, | 1566-8 |
| reported enrolled, | 1681 |
| notice of approval, | 1730 |
| 46. To legalize a re-survey of a portion of the village plat of the village of St. Louis, and to authorize the recording of the same; | |
| Introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref., | 110 |
| reported and passed, | 1877-8 |

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| 47. To amend section 567, being section 95, of chapter 12, of compiled laws, relative to the compensation of certain township officers; | |
| introduced by Mr. J. H. Jones, and ref.,..... | 110 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 121 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 188-9 |
| passed,..... | 211 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2479 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2554 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2558 |
| 48. To amend section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-one, of the compiled laws, relating to the acknowledgment of deeds; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mead, and ref.,..... | 110 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 124 |
| reported and enacting clause tabled,..... | 296 |
| 49. To repeal act No. 273, of session laws of 1865, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers; | |
| introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 110 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 311 |
| taken from table, and ref., to com. of whole,..... | 916 |
| com. of whole dis. from, ord. to third reading,..... | 2312 |
| tabled,..... | 2384 |
| 50. To amend section one, of act No. 177, of session laws of 1863, entitled an act to remit the specific tax upon mining, manufacturing, smelting and other companies of the Upper Peninsula, to the counties in which they arise, for a period of five years, and to provide for the application of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hill, and ref.,..... | 111 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 549 |
| reported and recommitted,..... | 1289 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1558-9 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1785 |
| passed,..... | 1807 |
| 51. To amend section 12, of chapter 47, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 1614, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref.,..... | 126 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 176 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 540 |
| passed,..... | 576 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1083 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1286 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1328 |
| 52. For the better promotion of the interests of agriculture, manufactures, and the mechanic arts; | |
| introduced by Mr. Boies, and ref.,..... | 128 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole,..... | 160 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 298 |
| passed,..... | 330 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 562 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 637 |
| notice of approval,..... | 684 |
| 53. To authorize school district number four, of the township of Schoolcraft, in the county of Kalamazoo, to issue bonds; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fellows, and ref.,..... | 126 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 140 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 268 |
| passed,..... | 329 |

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| 54. To provide for the payment of officers and members of the Legislature for the year 1867; | |
| rept'd by com. on ways and means, and ref. to com. whole, | 106 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 154-5 |
| passed..... | 168 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 287 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 299 |
| notice of approval,..... | 299 |
| 55. To amend section 3544, of the compiled laws, relating to proceedings in courts of chancery, against absent, concealed and non-resident defendants; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mead, and ref.,..... | 127 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 177 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 198 |
| passed,..... | 335 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1303 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1871 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1957 |
| 56. To amend section 3, of act No. 173, of session laws of 1863, being an act to amend an act to provide for the relief by counties, of the families of volunteers, mustered from this State into the military service of the United States, or of this State, approved May 4, 1861, and to add certain sections thereto, approved Jan. 17, 1862; | |
| introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 127 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1296 |
| ord. printed and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1307 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1757 |
| passed,..... | 1774 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2067 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2329 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2355 |
| 57. To amend section 14, of act No. 60, of the session laws of 1863; | |
| introduced by Mr. S. T. Parsons, and ref.,..... | 144 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 178 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 400 |
| passed,..... | 407 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 911 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1125 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1192 |
| 58. To amend section 2726, of the compiled laws, relative to the conveyance of land; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mead, and ref.,..... | 144 |
| 59. To amend section 6, of chapter 27, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 1103 of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Dusseau, and ref.,..... | 144 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 157-8 |
| substitute reported for, and ord. to third reading,..... | 342 |
| recommitted,..... | 371 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 671-2 |
| passed,..... | 762 |
| reconsidered, amended and passed,..... | 825 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1361 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1517 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1530 |
| 60. To authorize school district number 1, of the township of Eureka, to purchase a new or additional school-house site, and to sell their present one; | |
| introduced by Mr. Camburn, and ref.,..... | 144 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 633 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1315 |

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| 60. To authorize school district number one, of the township of Eureka, to purchase a new or additional school-house site, and to sell their present one; | |
| passed, | 1345 |
| returned from Senate, | 1412 |
| reported enrolled, | 1513 |
| notice of approval, | 1566 |
| 61. To authorize school district number 1, in the township of Eureka, in Montcalm county, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Camburn, and ref., | 144 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 158 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 298 |
| passed, | 331 |
| returned from Senate, | 1302 |
| reported enrolled, | 1317 |
| notice of approval, | 1329 |
| 62. To amend section 5654 of the compiled laws, relative to the fees of jurors; | |
| introduced by Mr. Van. Vleet, and ref., | 144 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 247 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 430-1 |
| passed, | 471-2 |
| 63. To revise the charter of the village of Hudson; | |
| introduced by Mr. Boies, and ref., | 144 |
| reported and ref to com. of whole, | 409 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading, | 498 |
| passed, | 501-2 |
| returned from Senate, | 723 |
| reported enrolled, | 1286 |
| notice of approval, | 1329 |
| 64. To amend section 17, of an act entitled an act to define the limits, jurisdiction and powers of circuit courts, approved April 8, 1851, being section 3427, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Sweezey, and ref., | 164 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 177 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 298 |
| passed, | 334 |
| 65. To amend section 364, of the compiled laws of 1867, relating to the compensation of boards of supervisors; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref., | 164 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 309 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 615-16 |
| passed, | 659 |
| returned from Senate amended, and amendment amended by the House, | 1443 |
| re-returned from Senate and tabled, | 1570 |
| 66. To vest title in the United States of America, in trust, of lands granted to the State of Michigan for railroad purposes, and for other purposes; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kingsbury and ref., | 165 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole, | 195 |
| reported and recommitted, | 428-9 |
| reported and tabled, | 745-6 |
| 67. To replat a portion of the village of St. Louis, and to authorize the recording of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ord. to third reading, ... | 165 |
| passed, | 170 |
| returned from Senate, | 287 |
| reported enrolled, | 441 |
| notice of approval, | 490 |

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| 68. To legalize the tax roll of the township of Rockland, Ontonagon county, for the year 1866; | |
| rept'd by com. on local taxation, and ref. to com. of whole, | 175-6 |
| reported and ord. to third re-reading, | 298 |
| passed, | 333 |
| returned from Senate, | 881 |
| reported enrolled, | 907 |
| notice of approval, | 910 |
| 69. To incorporate the Central Michigan Agricultural Society; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kedzie, and ref., | 183 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 242 |
| reported and enacting clause tabled, | 428 |
| 70. To provide for the registration and return of births, marriages and deaths; | |
| introduced by Mr. Shetterly, and ref., | 183 |
| substitute reported for, and substitute and original bill made special order, | 1155-6 |
| reported and leave granted com. to sit again, | 1289 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1648 |
| passed, | 1600 |
| returned from Senate, | 2539 |
| reported enrolled, | 2544 |
| notice of approval, | 2559 |
| 71. To legalize the action of the electors of the township of Florence, county of St. Joseph, in raising bounties for volunteers; | |
| introduced by Mr. Howard, and ref., | 184 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole, | 981 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1715 |
| passed, | 1760 |
| 72. To provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose constructing, owning and controlling warehouses for the storage of grain and other commodities; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fellows, and ref., | 184 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole, | 282 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 430-1 |
| passed, | 407 |
| returned from Senate, | 1084 |
| reported enrolled, | 1285 |
| notice of approval, | 1327 |
| 73. To amend act No. 38, of the session laws of 1865, entitled an act to amend section 579, of the compiled laws, requiring overseers of highways to give bonds; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mc Cutcheon, and ref., | 184 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole, | 286 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 431 |
| lost, | 469 |
| reconsidered and recommitted, | 470 |
| reported and passed, | 518-19 |
| returned from Senate, | 1085 |
| reported enrolled, | 1285 |
| notice of approval, | 1328 |
| 74. Further to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the construction of train railways; | |
| introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref., | 184 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 346 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 671-2 |
| passed, | 758 |
| returned from Senate, | 2475 |
| reported enrolled, | 2546 |
| notice of approval, | 2565 |

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| 75. To authorize and require the supervisor of the township of Hope, in the county of Barry, to assess, levy and authorize the collection of a tax in said township, to refund the sum of seven hundred dollars raised and advanced by the inhabitants of said township to pay bounties to volunteers; | |
| introduced by Mr. Sweezey, and ref., | 184 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 194-5 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 616-17 |
| passed, | 668 |
| returned from Senate, not passed, tabled, | 1848 |
| taken from table and recommitted, | 1984 |
| 76. To change the name of Elmon Cassidy, to Howard Homer Fife; | |
| introduced by Mr. Dunlap, and ref., | 185 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 197 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and tabled, | 400 |
| 77. To provide for the erection of a monument to the memory of the Michigan soldiers and sailors, who lost their lives in the war of the late rebellion, together with a suitable building in which to preserve the records, ensigns, and trophies of the war; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref., | 185 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 197 |
| reported and tabled, | 614-16 |
| 78. To legalize the action of the township of Lowell, in Kent county, in raising money to build a bridge across Grand River; | |
| introduced by Mr. Slayton, and ref., | 206 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 246 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 490 |
| passed, | 472 |
| returned from Senate, | 1685 |
| reported enrolled, | 1285 |
| notice of approval, | 1328 |
| 79. To legalize the action of school district No. 5, in the township of Lowell, in Kent county, in raising money to build a school-house therein; | |
| introduced by Mr. Slayton, and ref., | 206 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 246 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 430-1 |
| passed, | 473 |
| 80. To amend section 994 of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref., | 206 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 284 |
| reported, and all after enacting clause stricken out, and the enacting clause tabled, | 614-16 |
| taken from table and ref., | 1405 |
| reported and passed, title amended, | 1433 |
| returned from Senate, | 1709 |
| reported enrolled, | 1870 |
| notice of approval, | 1957 |
| 81. To enlarge the corporate limits, and establish the boundary of the village of Galesburg; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mason, and ref., | 206 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 244 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 428 |
| passed, | 457 |
| returned from Senate, | 996 |
| reported enrolled, | 1126 |
| notice of approval, | 1192 |

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| 82. To authorize the township board of the township of Eureka, in the county of Montcalm, to loan money by issuing and negotiating their bonds to pay the indebtedness of said town to school district No. 1, in said township; | |
| introduced by Mr. Camburn, and ref., | 206 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole, | 575 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1213 |
| passed, | 1221 |
| returned from Senate, | 1526 |
| reported enrolled, | 1780 |
| notice of approval, | 1795 |
| 83. To amend section 4, of title 4, of "an act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing," approved March 17th, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref., | 207 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 244 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 428 |
| passed, | 458 |
| returned from Senate, | 997 |
| reported enrolled, | 1125 |
| notice of approval, | 1192 |
| 84. To amend section 6, of chapter 27, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 1103 of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Randall, and ref., | 207 |
| 85. To amend section one, of act numbered 288, of the laws of 1865, entitled "an act to authorize the formation of mechanics' and laboring men's co-operative associations," approved March 20, 1865, and also to amend the title of said act; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker and ref., | 207 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 244 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 429 |
| passed, | 456 |
| returned from Senate, | 995 |
| reported enrolled, | 1125 |
| notice of approval, | 1192 |
| 86. To repeal sections 2032 and 2033, of the compiled laws, in regard to charitable bequests and devices; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 207 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 285 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 430 |
| passed, | 470 |
| returned from Senate, | 1162 |
| reported enrolled, | 1317 |
| notice of approval, | 1330 |
| 87. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by lowering the bed of the south branch of Swan Creek, in the township of Richland, Saginaw county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Taylor, and ref., | 207 |
| reported and taken from table and ref. to com. of whole, 731-2 | |
| com. of whole dis. from and made special order, | 1544-6 |
| ordered to third reading, | 1627 |
| lost, | 1691 |
| 88. To amend section 4, of act 348, of the session laws of A. D. 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Swift, and ref., | 207-8 |
| 89. To change the name of the town of Fort Gratiot, St. Clair county, to Keosau; | |
| reported by com. on towns and counties, and ref. to com. of whole, | 243 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 428 |
| passed, | 448-9 |

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| 90. To authorize school district number two, of the township of Superior, Washtenaw county, to issue the bonds of said district for the purpose therein mentioned; | |
| reported by the com. on local taxation, and ref. to com. of whole, | 247 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 430 |
| passed, | 466 |
| 91. To legalize the action of the annual and adjourned school meetings of fractional school districts, No. 4 and 1, of the townships of Pine River and Bethany, in Gratiot county, in the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref., | 269-70 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 285 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 343 |
| passed, | 373 |
| returned from Senate, | 430 |
| reported enrolled, | 551 |
| notice of approval, | 599 |
| 92. To authorize school district No. 5, of the townships of Brighton and Genoa, county of Livingston, to borrow moneys to build a school-house; | |
| introduced by Mr. Ball, and ref., | 270 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 325 |
| passed, | 337 |
| returned from Senate, | 395 |
| reported enrolled, | 440 |
| notice of approval, | 490 |
| 93. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the townships of Flint and Genesee, in the county of Genesee, for the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Altkin, and ref., | 270 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 310-11 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading, | 225 |
| passed, | 337 |
| returned from Senate, | 391 |
| reported enrolled, | 440 |
| notice of approval, | 490 |
| 94. To authorize the board of trustees of fractional union school district number one, of the city of Grand Rapids, to borrow money; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kingsbury, and ref., | 270 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 317 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 616-18 |
| passed, | 661 |
| returned from Senate, | 2306 |
| reported enrolled, | 2548 |
| notice of approval, | 2563 |
| 95. To authorize the board of Education of the city of Lansing, to borrow money and issue bonds for the construction of a high school building; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref., | 270 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 281 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 430 |
| passed, | 459 |
| 96. To amend sections 4985 and 4994, of the compiled laws, being sections 12 and 21, of chapter 150 of said laws, and to add certain new sections to said chapter; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 371 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 284 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 431 |
| passed, | 468 |
| returned from Senate, | 2122 |

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| 96. To amend sections 4985 and 4994, of the compiled laws, being sections 12 and 21, of chapter 150 of said laws, and to add certain new sections to said chapter; | |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2435 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2446 |
| 97. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the township of Bangor, in the county of Bay, for the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 271 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 284-5 |
| passed,..... | 292-3 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 395 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 441 |
| notice of approval,..... | 489 |
| 98. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the city of Bay City, for the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 271 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 284-5 |
| passed,..... | 293-4 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 395 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 440 |
| notice of approval,..... | 490 |
| 99. To authorize school district number 3, of the township of Victor, in the county of Clinton, to borrow money and to issue bonds therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref.,..... | 271 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 350-1 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 671-2 |
| passed,..... | 759 |
| 100. To extend aid to the University of Michigan; | |
| reported by the com. on education and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 280 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order,..... | 447-8 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 839 |
| passed,..... | 857 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1625 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1871 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1957 |
| 101. To provide for the construction of a State road from Stanton, in Montcalm county, to St. Charles, in Saginaw county; | |
| introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref.,..... | 291 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 741 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order,..... | 1544 |
| ord. to third reading,..... | 1628-30 |
| passed,..... | 1695-6 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2320 |
| re-returned from Senate;..... | 2524 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2549 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2569 |
| 102. To authorize the board of trustees of the village of Galesburg to cause a re-survey and plat of said village to be made and recorded, and to assess and collect the necessary tax therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mason, and ref.,..... | 391 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 313 |
| reported and ord to third reading,..... | 540 |
| passed,..... | 675 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1301 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1317 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1329 |

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| 103. To extend the time for the collection of the school tax of the city of Monroe; | |
| introduced by Mr. Stevens, and ref.,..... | 291 |
| 104. To amend sections 3 and 13, of act number 218, of the session laws of 1861, relative to actions for forcible or unlawful entry and detainer; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 291 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 354 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 672-3 |
| passed,..... | 765 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1408 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1871 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1957 |
| 105. To set off and incorporate a portion of the townships of Grand Haven and Spring Lake, in the county of Ottawa, into a city by the name of the city of Grand Haven; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref.,..... | 291 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 784-6 |
| com. of whole dis. from. and ord. to third reading,..... | 1309 |
| passed,..... | 1337 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1447 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2006 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2012 |
| 106. To provide for the construction of certain drains or ditches in the township of Berlin, county of St. Clair, and making an appropriation of swamp lands to aid in the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Funston, and ref.,..... | 292 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 949 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order,..... | 1546 |
| ord. to third reading,..... | 1630 |
| passed,..... | 1676-7 |
| 107. To incorporate the village of Greenville; | |
| introduced by Mr. Camburn, and ref.,..... | 292 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 389 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 690 |
| passed,..... | 767-8 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1195 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1512 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1566 |
| 108. To rebuild a bridge across Black river, on the Lexington and Lapeer State road, and making an appropriation of swamp land for the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Huckins, and ref.,..... | 292 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 742 |
| taken from table and ord. printed and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1212 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1783 |
| lost,..... | 1804 |
| reconsidered and tabled,..... | 1830-1 |
| 109. Making appropriation to pay the arrearages of the State Reform School for the years 1865 and 1866; | |
| reported by com. on State Reform School, and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 309 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 641 |

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| 110. Making appropriation to build two houses, a kitchen, bakery and laundry, for the State Reform School, and for warming the main building by steam; | |
| reported by com. on State Reform School, and ref.,..... | 309 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1794 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2183 |
| passed,..... | 2230 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2447 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2553 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2560 |
| 111. Making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the State Reform School for the years 1867 and 1868; | |
| reported by com. on State Reform School, and ref.,..... | 309 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1622 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2057 |
| passed,..... | 2131 |
| 112. To prevent fishing with seines and every kind of continuous nets, in the waters of the county of Branch: | |
| reported by com. on State affairs, and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 310 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 672-3 |
| passed,..... | 764 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1441 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1609 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1669 |
| 113. To change the name of the village of Mill Point, to Spring Lake; | |
| reported by com. on towns and counties, and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 312 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 616-18 |
| passed,..... | 660 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1131 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1286 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1328 |
| 114. To add a new section to chapter 180 of the compiled laws, in regard to evidence in certain criminal cases; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 322 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 354 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 661-2 |
| passed,..... | 761 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1303 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1871 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1957 |
| 115. Authorizing the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company to vacate a portion of its road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 322 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 388 |
| com. of whole dis. from, ord. to third reading,..... | 826 |
| passed,..... | 832-3 |
| 116. To legalize the action of the townships of Tekonsha and Burlington, Calhoun county, in voting to aid in the construction of a railroad from some point at or near Port Huron, to the Indiana State line, on the route deemed most eligible, to Chicago, in the State of Illinois; | |
| introduced by Mr. Randall, and ref.,..... | 322 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 946 |
| 117. To amend section one, of an act to amend sections 1, 6, 12 and 15, of act number 262, of the session laws of 1859, entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies and defining their powers and duties, approved February 15, 1859, it being act number 277, of session laws of 1865, approved March 20, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. E. Spalding, and ref.,..... | 322 |

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| 118. To authorize the city of Battle Creek, and the townships in the counties of Calhoun, Kalamazoo and Barry, to raise by tax and donate money to the Agricultural and Mechanical association of Battle Creek; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Willard, and ref.,..... | 322 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 388 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 827 |
| passed,..... | 966 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1159 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1311 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1329 |
| 119. To amend sections 5756, 5757 and 5758, of the compiled laws, in regard to the crime of burglary; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 323 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 390 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1006-7 |
| passed,..... | 1037 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1333 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1780 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1796 |
| 120. To authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated villages, in the counties of Saginaw, Gratiot and Clinton, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a plank road from Saginaw, by way of St. Louis or Alma, to the village of St. Johns, in Clinton county; | |
| introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref.,..... | 323 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 358 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ref to special com.,..... | 899 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 954 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1007 |
| passed,..... | 1040-1 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1448 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2066 |
| vetoed and passed over the Governor's veto,..... | 2288-95 |
| re-returned from Senate and tabled,..... | 2367 |
| 121. To amend act number 135, of the session laws of 1861, approved March 12, 1861, in regard to the register of probate for Wayne county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 323 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 353 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 671-2 |
| tabled,..... | 762 |
| taken from table and ord. to third reading,..... | 1212 |
| passed,..... | 1218 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2087 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2330 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2345 |
| 122. To incorporate the county of Ogemaw with the county of Iosco, and to define the boundaries of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref.,..... | 323 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 547 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1228 |
| passed,..... | 1268 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1412 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1513 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1565 |
| 123. To authorize the Saginaw and Genesee Plank Road Company to discontinue the whole or any portion of their road, and for other purposes; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref.,..... | 323 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole,..... | 457 |
| com. of whole dis. from and tabled,..... | 730-1 |

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| 124. To provide for extending time for collecting the taxes in the township of Chesaning, in the county of Saginaw; | |
| introduced by Mr. Taylor, and ord. to third reading,..... | 325 |
| passed,..... | 340 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 395 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 441 |
| notice of approval,..... | 490 |
| 125. To legalize the tax roll of the township of Mussey, in the county of St. Clair, for the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Funston, and ord. to third reading,... | 325 |
| passed,..... | 341 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 848 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 880 |
| notice of approval,..... | 910 |
| 126. To legalize the tax-roll of the township of Spalding, in the county of Saginaw, for the year 1866; | |
| reported by com. on ways and means, and ord. to third reading,..... | 350 |
| passed,..... | 371 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 420 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 441 |
| notice of approval,..... | 489 |
| 127. To authorize graded school district number one, of the township of Forest, in the county of Genesee, to issue bonds for the purpose therein mentioned; | |
| reported by com. on local taxation, and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 351-2 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 671-2 |
| passed,..... | 760 |
| 128. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the city of Monroe; | |
| reported by com. on judiciary, and ref. to com. of whole, .. | 354 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 365 |
| passed,..... | 372 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 419 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 441 |
| notice of approval,..... | 490 |
| 129. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the city of Marshall, in Calhoun county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Randall, and passed,..... | 365 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 419 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 440 |
| notice of approval,..... | 489 |
| 130. To incorporate the village of Lyons; | |
| introduced by Mr. R. B. Smith, and ref.,..... | 367 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 486 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1050-1 |
| passed,..... | 1108 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1256 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1323 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1398 |
| 131. To confirm the title of the Northern Central Michigan Railroad Company to the property, rights and franchises acquired by it of the Amboy, Lansing and Traverse Bay Railroad Company; | |
| introduced by Mr. Tompkins, and ref.,..... | 367 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 481 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1006 |
| passed,..... | 1039 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1709 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1872 |
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| 132. To authorize any of the townships, cities and villages of the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Jackson, Calhoun and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit, by donation or subscription to the capital stock, to aid in the construction of the Northern Central Michigan railroad; | |
| introduced by Mr. Tompkins, and ref., | 367 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 992 |
| com. of whole dis. from and recommitted, | 1399 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1553 |
| com of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading, | 1621 |
| passed, | 1639 |
| returne from Senate, | 1753 |
| reported enrolled, | 1815 |
| vetoed and tabled, | 2289-92 |
| 133. To incorporate the village of Three Oaks, in the county of Berrien; | |
| introduced by Mr. Glavin, and ref., | 367-8 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 550 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1175 |
| passed, | 1207 |
| returned from Senate, | 1905 |
| reported enrolled, | 2066 |
| notice of approval, | 2155 |
| 134. To incorporate the village of Dansville; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref., | 368 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole, | 389 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1213 |
| passed, | 1220 |
| returned from Senate, | 1412 |
| reported enrolled, | 1609 |
| notice of approval, | 1669 |
| 135. To provide for the laying out and establishing a State road to be known as the extension of the Englishville and Oron State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Jewell, and ref., | 368 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole, | 378 |
| reported and ref., | 898 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 986 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special ord., | 1543-5 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1627-30 |
| passed, | 1701 |
| 136. To amend section 876, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, so as to provide for furnishing, periodically, to the county treasurers, the number of the tax sale certificates redeemed at the State Treasury, for public reference; | |
| introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref., | 368 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 382 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 897 |
| passed, | 923 |
| 137. To amend chapter 187, of the compiled laws, by requiring judges to direct the attention of grand jurors and prosecuting attorneys thereto; | |
| introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref., | 368 |
| 138. For the prosecution and punishment of trespass on land donated by the United States to the State of Michigan for railroad purposes; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 368-9 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 634 |
| reported and ref., | 1316 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1519 |

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| 138. For the prosecution and punishment of trespass on land donated by the United States to the State of Michigan for railroad purposes ; | |
| reported and ordered to third reading..... | 2058 |
| passed..... | 2111 |
| 139. To tax banking associations organized under the law of the United States; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref..... | 369 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole..... | 438 |
| reported and ordered to third reading..... | 1050 |
| passed..... | 1113 |
| returned from Senate..... | 2485 |
| reported enrolled..... | 2547 |
| notice of approval..... | 2561 |
| 140. To authorize the township of Caledonia, in Kent county, to issue bonds for bridge purposes; | |
| introduced by Mr. Slayton, and ref..... | 369 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole..... | 378 |
| reported and ord. to third reading..... | 897-8 |
| passed..... | 965 |
| returned from Senate..... | 1332 |
| reported enrolled..... | 1383 |
| notice of approval..... | 1398 |
| 141. To legalize the tax roll of the township of Caledonia, in Kent county, for A. D. 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Slayton, and ref..... | 369 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole..... | 379 |
| reported and ord. to third reading..... | 895-7 |
| passed..... | 922 |
| returned from Senate..... | 1301 |
| reported enrolled..... | 1317 |
| notice of approval..... | 1330 |
| 142. To amend section 3438, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref..... | 369 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole..... | 782 |
| reported and ord. to third reading..... | 1407 |
| passed..... | 1490 |
| returned from Senate..... | 2469 |
| reported enrolled..... | 2550 |
| notice of approval..... | 2565 |
| 143. To amend section 4042, of chapter 119, of the compiled laws; | |
| reported by com. on ways and means, and ref. to com. of whole..... | 381-2 |
| reported and ordered to third reading..... | 896-7 |
| passed..... | 924 |
| returned from Senate..... | 2523 |
| reported enrolled..... | 2547 |
| notice of approval..... | 2558 |
| 144. To repeal act No. 354, of the session laws of 1865, entitled an act appropriating certain highway taxes for the improvement of a road leading from Corunna, in the county of Shiawassee, to Saginaw City, in the county of Saginaw, and to provide for the appropriation of funds in the hands of the commissioners mentioned in said act; | |
| reported by the com. on the judiciary, and ref. to com. of whole..... | 386 |
| reported and ord. to third reading..... | 897 |
| passed..... | 964 |

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| 145. To amend section one of act 266, session laws of 1865, being an act to authorize any of the townships and cities of the counties of St. Clair, Lapeer, Genesee and Shiawassee, to pledge their credit in aid of the construction of a railroad from Port Huron to some point on the line of the Detroit and Milwaukee railroad, in Shiawassee county; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 399 |
| 146. To amend section 5311, of the compiled laws, in regard to costs in quo warranto cases; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 399 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 487 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1141 |
| passed,..... | 1167 |
| 147. To prevent the running at large of bulls, boars and rams; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Wright, and ref.,..... | 400 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 484 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1141-3 |
| passed,..... | 1165 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1527 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2066 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2155 |
| 148. To authorize judges of probate to complete the records of proceedings before their predecessors; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 400 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 548 |
| com. whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 691 |
| passed,..... | 770 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 958 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1008 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1061 |
| 149. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the township of Indian Fields, in the county of Tuscola, for the year 1866; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Greenfield, and passed,..... | 402-3 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 419 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 441 |
| notice of approval,..... | 490 |
| 150. Authorizing graded school district No. 1, of the township of Vevay, in the county of Ingham, to issue bonds; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Kedzie, and ref.,..... | 424 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 437 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and tabled,..... | 959 |
| 151. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175 of the compiled laws, entitled of the fees of certain civil officers in civil cases, approved March 20th, 1863; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Kedzie, and ref.,..... | 424 |
| 152. To authorize the several townships of this State to raise money by tax, or to borrow money to build or repair highways and bridges; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Glavin, and ref.,..... | 424 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 585 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1231 |
| passed, reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1274-5 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1661 |
| taken from table and ord. to third reading,..... | 1834 |
| recommitted, reported and passed,..... | 1854-5 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2164-5 |
| reported enrolled,..... | |
| notice of approval,..... | 2445 |

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| 153. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the township of Sebewaing, in the county of Huron; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ord. to third reading..... | 424 |
| passed,..... | 452 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 491 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 637 |
| notice of approval,..... | 685 |
| 154. To authorize the payment of traveling expenses of justices of the supreme court, and the circuit judges of this State; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 424 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 718 |
| reported, and all after enacting clause stricken out, and enacting clause tabled,..... | 1403 |
| 155. Relative to executing, acknowledging and recording deeds, mortgages, and other instruments, and to prevent frauds in land titles; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 425 |
| reported and ref. to com of whole,..... | 488 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1316 |
| lost,..... | 1346 |
| reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1355 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1364 |
| 156. To incorporate the village of Pentwater; | |
| introduced by Mr. Deane, and ref.,..... | 425 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 485 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1050 |
| passed,..... | 1110 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1384 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2006 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2012 |
| 157. To amend sections one and two, of an act entitled "an act to lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Mecosta Osceola and Missaukee, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon," approved February 15th, 1865, and to add a new section thereto; | |
| introduced by Mr. Deane, and ref.,..... | 425 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 508 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1145 |
| passed,..... | 1168-9 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1333 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1609 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1669 |
| 158. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the township of Dallas, in the county of Clinton, for the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref.,..... | 425 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 428 |
| com. whole dis. from and bill passed,..... | 462 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 491 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 637 |
| notice of approval,..... | 685 |
| 159. To amend act No. 301, of the session laws of 1865, being an act entitled "an act to regulate the tolls on plank roads in Bay, Clinton, Gratiot and Saginaw counties;" | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 426 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 487 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1050 |
| passed,..... | 1109 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1963 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2280 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2287 |

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| 160. To amend section 3, of act No. 87, of the laws of 1846, approved April 28, 1846, entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 17, 1842; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hawley, and ref., | 426 |
| reported, ref. to com. of whole, | 439 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1006 |
| passed, | 1036 |
| returned from Senate, | 1332 |
| reported enrolled, | 1383 |
| notice of approval, | 1398 |
| 161. To amend section 13, of chapter 175, of the compiled laws, relative to fees of constables in civil cases; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hawley, and ref., | 426 |
| reported and tabled, | 2423 |
| 162. To provide for the election of overseers of highways, by ballot, in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mc Kernan, and ref., | 426 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 487 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1142 |
| passed, | 1166 |
| returned from Senate, | 1448 |
| reported enrolled, | 1609 |
| notice of approval, | 1669 |
| 163. To regulate the license of hawkers and peddlers, in the Upper Peninsula, and to amend the act to amend sections 16, 18, 21 and 22, of chapter 18, of the compiled laws, relative thereto; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fenton, and ref., | 426 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 645 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1379 |
| passed, | 1454 |
| returned from Senate and tabled, | 1964 |
| 164. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the townships of Portland and Orange, in the county of Ionia; | |
| introduced by Mr. R. B. Smith, and ref., | 427 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 439 |
| passed, | 463 |
| returned from Senate, | 491 |
| reported enrolled, | 637 |
| notice of approval, | 685 |
| 165. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, from Alpena, in the county of Alpena, to Grand Traverse Bay, in the county of Grand Traverse; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref., | 427 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 739 |
| com. of whole dis. from and made special order, | 1545-6 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1629 |
| passed, | 1692 |
| 166. To prevent the destruction of muskrats and muskrat houses in the townships of Clay, Cottrellville and Ira, in the county of St. Clair; | |
| introduced by Mr. Miles, and ref., | 427 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 488 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1145 |
| passed, | 1167-8 |
| returned from Senate, | 1333 |
| reported enrolled, | 1871 |
| notice of approval, | 1956 |

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| 167. To authorize school district No. 6, of the township of Lyon, in the county of Oakland, to issue bonds for the purpose therein mentioned; | |
| reported by com. on education, and ref. to com. of whole, | 439 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 897 |
| reported and all after enacting clause stricken out, and enacting clause tabled, | 1007 |
| 168. To authorize the first Unitarian Society of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw county, to purchase church property, and mortgage the same for purchase money; | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ord. to third reading, | 448 |
| passed, | 474 |
| returned from Senate, | 563 |
| reported enrolled, | 637 |
| notice of approval, | 635 |
| 169. To authorize the trustees of the first Methodist Episcopal Society of Ann Arbor, to pay and secure the indebtedness of said society, by selling and mortgaging certain real estate; | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ref., | 450 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 487 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading, | 914 |
| passed, | 970 |
| returned from Senate, | 1710 |
| reported enrolled, | 1815 |
| notice of approval, | 1843 |
| 170. To amend the charter of the city of Grand Rapids; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kingsbury, and ref., | 450 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 485 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1050-1 |
| passed, | 1111 |
| returned from Senate, | 1420 |
| reported enrolled, | 1781 |
| notice of approval, | 1796 |
| 171. To amend section seven of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Mason, approved March 9, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref., | 450 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 485 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1050 |
| passed, | 1108 |
| returned from Senate, | 1195 |
| reported enrolled, | 1285 |
| notice of approval, | 1328 |
| 172. To change the name of the village of Varna to that of Clio; | |
| introduced by Mr. Rockwood, and ref., | 450 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 548 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1229 |
| passed, | 1267-8 |
| returned from Senate, | 1901 |
| reported enrolled, | 2066 |
| notice of approval, | 2155 |
| 173. To amend chapter 103, of the compiled laws of 1857, relating to the sale of real estate on execution, by adding thereto a new section; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 450 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 487 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1050 |
| passed, | 1112 |
| returned from Senate, | 1843 |
| reported enrolled, | 2065 |
| notice of approval, | 2155 |

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| 174. To amend section 3837, of the compiled laws, in regard to appeal bonds; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 451 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 587 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1231 |
| passed,..... | 1276 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1710 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1871 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1957 |
| 175. To amend section 12, of chapter 65, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2731, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mead, and ref.,..... | 451 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 587 |
| reported an all after enacting clause stricken out..... | 1232 |
| enacting clause tabled,..... | 1284 |
| 176. To authorize the board of trustees of (graded) fractional school district No. 7, Brooklyn and Columbia, in the county of Jackson, to borrow money to enlarge the school-house in said district; | |
| introduced by Mr. Woodward, and ref.,..... | 451 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 493 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1228-30 |
| passed,..... | 1259 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1626 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1871 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1953 |
| 177. To authorize the township of Brooklyn to vote a tax to pay certain sums of money advanced to said township; | |
| introduced by Mr. Woodward, and ref.,..... | 451 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 509 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 850 |
| passed,..... | 868 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 958 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1008 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1051 |
| 178. To incorporate the village of Northville; | |
| introduced by Mr. Swift, and ref.,..... | 451 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 598 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1314 |
| passed,..... | 1344 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1447 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1780 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1796 |
| 179. To preserve floating logs, timber and lumber, and for marking of the same, on the Grand river and its branches; | |
| introduced by Mr. Sweezey, and ref.,..... | 451 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 484 |
| reported and recommitted,..... | 1051 |
| substitute reported for, and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1391 |
| 180. To prevent frauds and impositions upon school districts; | |
| introduced by Mr. Wells, and ref.,..... | 453 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 510 |
| reported and recommitted,..... | 1145 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1189 |
| com. of whole dis, from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1632 |
| passed,..... | 1747-8 |
| returned from Senate and amendments non-concurred in,..... | 2085 |
| reported enrolled,..... | |
| notice of approval,..... | |

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| 181. To authorize school district number six, of the township of Lexington, in the county of Sanilac, to borrow money and to issue bonds therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Huckins and ref.,..... | 452 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 483 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 2312 |
| tabled, | 2334 |
| 182. To amend an act entitled an act to amend section 26, chapter 101, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 364, of the compiled laws, relative to the sale of real estate of deceased persons, approved March 15th, 1861; | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ref.,..... | 452 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 633 |
| taken from table and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 691 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1873 |
| passed,..... | 1928 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2074 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2435 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2446 |
| 183. To incorporate the village of St. Johns; | |
| introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref.,..... | 452 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 643 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1117 |
| passed,..... | 1121-2 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1257 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1405 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1420 |
| 184. To encourage and direct immigration to this State; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref.,..... | 499 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 520 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1230 |
| lost,..... | 1277 |
| reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1311 |
| 185. To authorize the district board of fractional school district number five, of the township of Grass Lake, in the county of Jackson, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Woodward, and ref.,..... | 499 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 513 |
| reported and all after enacting clause stricken out, and en- | |
| acting clause tabled,..... | 1215 |
| enacting clause taken from table, and ref.,..... | 2440 |
| substitute reported for, and ord. to third reading,..... | 2442-3 |
| passed,..... | 2474 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2521 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2551 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2569 |
| 186. To organize union school district of the city of Flint; | |
| introduced by Mr. Aitkin, and ref.,..... | 499 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 509 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1145 |
| passed,..... | 1171 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1448 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1610 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1669 |
| 187. To authorize school district number seven, of the township of Coldwater, in the county of Branch, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Barber, and ref.,..... | 499 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 513 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed,..... | 1227 |

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| 187. To authorize school district number seven, of the township of Coldwater, in the county of Branch, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1448 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1609 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1669 |
| 188. To authorize the Iron Cliffs Company to acquire and hold lands, and to acquire and hold stock in certain companies; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 499 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 546 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1290 |
| passed,..... | 1265 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2467 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2505 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2553 |
| 189. To authorize (graded) school district No. 1, of the township of Leslie, in the county of Ingham, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref.,..... | 499 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 513-14 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1214-15 |
| taken from table and recommitted,..... | 1716 |
| substitute reported for, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1729 |
| passed,..... | 1764 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1869 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1877 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1958 |
| 190. To legalize the action of the electors of the city of Flint, in the county of Genesee, in voting aid to the Port Huron and Lake Michigan railroad companies; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 500 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 906 |
| 191. To amend section 1, of chapter 18, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 605 of the compiled laws, relative to the repair and construction of fences; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Chauvin, and ref.,..... | 500 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 555 |
| 192. To authorize the board of control, created by the act entitled an act to provide for the collection of tolls, and for the care, charge, and operating of the Sault St. Mary's Falls Ship Canal, to repair and improve the same; | |
| reported by com. on internal improvements and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 513 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1213 |
| recommitted,..... | 1221 |
| reported and passed,..... | 1250 |
| 193. To legalize the tax roll of the township of Hancock, in Houghton county, for the year 1866, and to extend the time for the collection of taxes therein; | |
| Introduced by Mr. McKernan, and ord. to third reading,..... | 527 |
| passed,..... | 534 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 648 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 673 |
| notice of approval,..... | 685 |
| 194. To change the name of the township of Benona to that of Shelby, and the name of the township of Le Roy to that of Benona; | |
| Introduced by Mr. Deane, and ref.,..... | 528 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 547 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 851 |
| passed,..... | 861 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1332 |

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| 195. Relative to the supreme court; | |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1383 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1398 |
| 196. Relative to the supreme court; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mead, and ref.,..... | 528 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 546 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order,..... | 828 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 895 |
| tabled,..... | 920 |
| taken from table and lost,..... | 1115-16 |
| reconsidered and tabled,..... | 1137-8 |
| 196. To amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 12, 13, 21 and 25, of act No. 93, of the session laws of 1855, entitled "an act to incorporate the village of Dexter;" | |
| introduced by Mr. Corey, and ref.,..... | 529 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 711 |
| com. of whole dis. from and recommitted,..... | 1049 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1129-30 |
| passed,..... | 1133 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1194 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1286 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1328 |
| 197. To regulate the manner of electing the trustees composing the district board of school district No. 4, in the city and township of Ypsilanti, and to define the qualifications of electors therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Jenness, and ref.,..... | 529 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 546 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1357 |
| passed,..... | 1373 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1439 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1609 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1669 |
| 198. To amend an act entitled "an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a State road and ditches, from Nunica in Ottawa county, to Muskegon, in Muskegon county, to be known as the Nunica and Muskegon State road;" | |
| introduced by Mr. Storrs, and ref.,..... | 529 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 743-4 |
| taken from table and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1279 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1635 |
| passed,..... | 1706 |
| 199. To amend an act entitled "an act to amend section 1813, being section 15, of chapter 63, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hill, and ref.,..... | 529 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 546 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| recommitted,..... | 1267 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1559-60 |
| 200. To provide for the laying out and establishing a State road from the terminus of the present State road, on the south side of the outlet of Black Lake, in the county of Muskegon, to intersect with another State road in the village of Muskegon, in said county, and to appropriate swamp land to aid in the construction thereof; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref.,..... | 529 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1014 |

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| 201. To provide for a canal or drain for lowering the waters of the little Black Lake, in the county of Muskegon, and to appropriate swamp land to aid in the construction thereof; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref.,..... | 530 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 841 |
| com. of whole discharged from and made special order, .. | 1544 |
| ord. to third reading,..... | 1628-30 |
| passed,..... | 1686 |
| 202. To authorize school district number two of the township of Lapeer, in Lapeer county, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Brownell, and ref.,..... | 530 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 553 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2312 |
| tabled,..... | 2337 |
| 203. To provide that bodies of deceased convicts and others, under certain restrictions, when given to anatomical professors for dissection, be used in this State only, for the purpose of advancing the science of medicine in the medical department of the University of the State of Michigan; | |
| introduced by Mr. E. Spalding, and ref. | 530 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 2153 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2314 |
| passed,..... | 2338 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2519 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2556 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2565 |
| 204. To authorize the townships, incorporated villages, and cities, in the counties of Saginaw, Tuscola, Gratiot and Clinton, to donate or loan moneys, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of plank roads in said counties; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref.,..... | 530-1 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 550 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1230 |
| passed,..... | 1270 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1941 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2066 |
| vetoed,..... | 2289 |
| passed, over the veto of the Governor,..... | 2297 |
| re-returned from Senate and tabled,..... | 2357-8 |
| 205. To amend chapter 108 of compiled laws, relative to divorce, being chapter 84, of the revised statutes of 1846; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kingsbury and ref.,..... | 531 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 546 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| lost, reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1266-7 |
| reported and passed,..... | 1365 |
| 206. To authorize the graded and high school, of the city of Battle Creek, in the county of Calhoun, to issue bonds; | |
| introduced by Mr. Willard, and ref.,..... | 532 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 548 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| passed,..... | 1269 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2071 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2547 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2664 |
| 207. To provide for the further improvement of the East Saginaw and Sauble river, and the Duncan, Alpena and Sauble river State roads; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref.,..... | 531 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 568-9 |

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| 208. To legalize the action of the township board of Fabius, St. Joseph county, in raising money for bounty purposes; introduced by Mr. Howard, and ref.,..... | 531 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2285 |
| 209. To appropriate swamp lands for opening a channel at the mouth of river Du Fil, in Huron county; introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref.,..... | 531 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 620 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1314 |
| lost,..... | 1342 |
| reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1359 |
| reported and passed,..... | 1520-1 |
| 210. To provide for the incorporation of slackwater navigation companies, and defining their powers and duties; introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... | 532 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 748 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1283 |
| passed,..... | 1306 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2178 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2433 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2446 |
| 211. To authorize school district No. 17, of the township of Flint, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purposes therein mentioned; introduced by Mr. Aitkin, and ref.,..... | 552 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 552 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2313 |
| tabled,..... | 2337 |
| 212. To amend section 3, of act 336, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of Swamp lands, at the headwaters of Rogue river, in the counties of Kent and Newaygo, by means of ditching and deepening the channel of said river; introduced by Mr. Jewell, and ref.,..... | 532 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 742 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special ord.,..... | 1544 |
| ord. to third reading,..... | 1628 |
| passed,..... | 1696 |
| 213. To amend act No. 66, of the session laws of A. D. 1861, approved February 25, 1861, entitled an act to authorize the supreme court to appoint a clerk; reported by the com. on the judiciary, and ref. to the com. of whole,..... | 545 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| passed,..... | 1264 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1571 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1780 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1796 |
| 214. To fix the liability of railroad companies as common carriers in certain cases; reported by the com. on the jud., and ref. to com of whole,..... | 545 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1357 |
| passed,..... | 1372 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2502 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2555 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2558 |

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| 215. To confer additional powers upon the village of Parma, in the county of Jackson; | |
| rep. by com. on local taxation and ref. to com. of whole, .. | 553 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1231 |
| passed, | 1272 |
| returned from Senate, | 1438 |
| reported enrolled, | 1609 |
| notice of approval, | 1669 |
| 216. To legalize the tax roll of the village of Parma, in the county of Jackson, for the year 1866; | |
| reported by the com. on local taxation and ref. to com. of whole, | 553 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1231 |
| passed, | 1272-3 |
| returned from Senate, | 1845 |
| reported enrolled, | 2181 |
| notice of approval, | 2213 |
| 217. To amend act number 335, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to provide for the draining and reclamation of swamp lands by means of the improvement of the Lamont and Zeeland State road, in Ottawa county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Storrs, and ref. to com. of whole, | 571 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 2003 |
| lost, | 2034 |
| 218. To revise and amend an act to incorporate the city of Ann Arbor, approved April 4, 1858, and an act amendatory thereto, approved February 12, 1859, and also an act amendatory thereto, approved February 25, 1861. | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ref., | 571 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 989 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed, | 1683 |
| returned from Senate, | 1844 |
| reported enrolled, | 2331 |
| notice of approval, | 2356 |
| 219. To amend section 2, of an act entitled an act to provide for the protection of game in the State of Michigan, being act No. 236, of the session laws of 1863, approved March 20, 1863; | |
| introduced by Mr. Dusseau, and ref., | 571 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 720 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1944 |
| passed, | 1987 |
| 220. To regulate the payment of State bounty to all soldiers and sailors mustered into the military service of the United States, from this State, and credited to the quota of the same during the late rebellion; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref., | 571 |
| 221. To amend an act entitled an act imposing a specific tax upon corporations and chartered companies engaged in the business of mining, smelting and refining ores in this State, approved March 10, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hill, and ref., | 572 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 641 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ref. to com. on ways and means, | 1378 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1559 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1715 |
| passed, | 1768 |
| returned from Senate, | 2477 |
| reported enrolled, | 2555 |
| notice of approval, | 2560 |

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| 222. To revise the charter of the city of Flint; | |
| introduced by Mr. Altkin, and ref.,..... | 572 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 960 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1379 |
| passed,..... | 1450 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1734 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2066 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2156 |
| 223. To incorporate the village of Berrien Springs, Berrien county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Glavin, and ref.,..... | 572 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 710 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1633 |
| passed,..... | 1763 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2016 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2078 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2286 |
| 224. To incorporate the village of Riverside, in the county of Wayne; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 572 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 712 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1402 |
| lost, reconsidered and tabled,..... | 1473-4 |
| taken from table and passed,..... | 1826-7 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1959 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2065 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2155 |
| 225. To amend act No. 147, of session laws of 1861, it being sections 2014 and 2017, of compiled laws, with reference to religious societies, so as to authorize the recording of articles of association, and to give trustees, wardens and vestrymen authority to execute security upon church property in certain cases; | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ref.,..... | 573 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 709 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1401 |
| passed,..... | 1468 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2068 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2182 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2213 |
| 226. Granting swamp land to the county of Sanilac, to aid in cutting drains through certain swamps in said county; | |
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| reported enrolled, | 2546 |
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| 231. To incorporate the public schools of the village of Hudson; | |
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| struction of the Midland and Bay City plank road; | |
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| tioned; | |
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| 236. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road and ditch, from Sutton's Bay, in the county of Leelanaw, westerly to Glen Arbor, in the same county; | |
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| passed,..... | 1672 |
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| introduced by Mr. Dunlap, and ref.,..... | 605 |
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| 239. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a State road and ditches, from Tawas city, in the county of Iosco, westerly, to intersect with the Grand Traverse and Midland State road; | |
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| passed,..... | 1495 |
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| reported enrolled,..... | 2548 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2566 |
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| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 696 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole..... | 950 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1426 |
| passed,..... | 1498 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2302 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2350 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2566 |
| 293. For the protection of lands, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom; | |
| introduced by Mr. A. S. Brown, and ref.,..... | 696 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1017 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1872 |
| recommitted, reported, lost, reconsidered, recommitted, 1939-40 | |
| reported and passed,..... | 1949 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2361 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2550 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2566 |
| 294. To amend act No. 244, of the session laws of 1859, being an act to amend section eleven of the act entitled an act to define the powers and duties of the board of supervisors of the several counties, and to confer upon them certain local, administrative and legislative powers, approved April 8, 1851, and being section 345, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 696 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1071 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1860-1 |
| passed,..... | 1932-3 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2073 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2279 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2286 |
| 295. To organize the township of Deerfield, in Lenawee county; | |
| reported by com. on towns and counties and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 707 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed,..... | 1377 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1526 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1780 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1795 |
| 296. To authorize the qualified electors of the township of Hamtramck, in the county of Wayne, and State of Michigan, to raise a sum of money to pay for money advanced and borrowed to fill a quota and pay bounties to volunteers to aid in suppressing the rebellion; | |
| reported by com. on bounties and ord. to third reading,... | 713 |
| passed,..... | 771 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 912-13 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1008 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1052 |

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| 297. To authorize school district No. 6, of the township of Marengo, in the county of Calhoun, to borrow money, and issue bonds therefor, for the purpose therein mentioned; | |
| reported by com. on local taxation, and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 716 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and passed,..... | 1283 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2071 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2435 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2446 |
| 298. To establish a board of public works in and for the city of Detroit; | |
| introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref.,..... | 732 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 907 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1378 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1349 |
| recommitted, reported and passed,..... | 1601-4 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2464 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2554 |
| notice of approval,..... | |
| 299. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of East Saginaw, approved February 15, 1859, as amended by act No. 56, of session laws of 1861, approved February 20, 1861, and act No. 79, of session laws of 1865, approved March 1, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref.,..... | 732 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 988 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1546 |
| amended and passed,..... | 1596-8 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2014 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2277 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2287 |
| 300. To amend an act to incorporate the city of Coldwater, approved February 28, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Barber, and ref.,..... | 732 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 783 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1407 |
| passed,..... | 1489 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1593 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2065 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2156 |
| 301. To repeal section 47, of an act entitled "an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies," approved February 12, 1855; | |
| introduced by Mr. Mason, and ref.,..... | 732 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 745-6 |
| 302. To authorize the township of Canton, in Wayne county, Michigan, to raise money by tax to refund advances made to procure substitutes; | |
| introduced by Mr. Swift, and ref.,..... | 732 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 981 |
| taken from table and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1378 |
| reported and enact. clause tabled,..... | 2055 |
| 303. To authorize townships and cities, in the counties of Wayne, Oakland, Washtenaw, Livingston and Ingham, to loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a railroad, on the most direct and feasible route from the city of Detroit, to the city of Lansing; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. C. Smith, and ref.,..... | 733 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1552 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1631 |
| passed,..... | 1638 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1903 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1948 |
| vetoed and tabled,..... | 2238-91 |

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| 304. To amend an act entitled "an act to provide for laying out, establishing, and improving a road from Muskegon lake to the north line of Mason county, and to appropriate swamp lands therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Holt, and ref.,..... | 733 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1245 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1631 |
| passed,..... | 1702 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2177 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2273 |
| approved,..... | 2287 |
| 305. To legalize certain tax rolls in Jackson county, and to protect certain officers, and said townships, from suits by reason of the issue and collection of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Woodward, and ref.,..... | 733 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1189-90 |
| 306. To provide for the reclamation of swamp lands by means of a State road from the plank road between Midland and Bay City, north to the intersection of the Saginaw and Sauble State road, to be known as the Bangor and Maple Ridge State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 733 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 983 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1944-5 |
| lost,..... | 1989 |
| reconsidered and tabled,..... | 1999 |
| taken from table and passed,..... | 2141 |
| 307. To amend sections 1 and 3, of an act entitled an act to authorize the issuing of patents for certain railroad lands in the Upper Peninsula, being act No. 117, of the session laws of 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 734 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 781 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1407 |
| passed,..... | 1506 |
| 308. To amend sections 5, 19, 20, 24, and 26, of chapter 57, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kingsbury, and ref.,..... | 734 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 781 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1407 |
| passed,..... | 1499 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2073 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2434 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2444 |
| 309. Rendering certain persons disqualified for sitting as jurors in certain cases; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 734 |
| reported and ref. to com. whole,..... | 782 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1407 |
| passed,..... | 1500 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2084 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2549 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2562 |
| 310. To authorize the First Baptist Church of Mason, in Ingham county, to mortgage their church property; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref.,..... | 734 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1294 |

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| §11. To amend section 6179, being section 22, of chapter 202, of compiled laws relative to the compensation of Inspectors of State Prison; | |
| rep. by com. on State Prison, and ref. to com. whole,.... | 749 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1407 |
| lost,..... | 1503 |
| reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1537-8 |
| reported and passed,..... | 1557 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2063 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2183 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2214 |
| §12. To incorporate the village of Middleville, in the county of Barry; | |
| introduced by Mr. Sweezey, and ref.,..... | 754 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 783 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1539 |
| passed,..... | 1949 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2157 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2553 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2568 |
| §13. To regulate and define the size and capacity of barrels for storage; | |
| introduced by Mr. Swift, and ref.,..... | 754 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1360 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2052 |
| passed,..... | 2103 |
| §14. To legalize the action of the corporate authorities of the city of Ann Arbor, in issuing bonds or certificates of indebtedness, to aid in the repair and improvement of the observatory building, in said city, and to provide for the payment thereof; | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ref.,..... | 754-5 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1578 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2000 |
| passed,..... | 2021 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2405 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2549 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2550 |
| §15. To provide for the settlement and drainage of the swamp lands by actual settlers, and to repeal certain other acts therein named; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref.,..... | 755 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 842 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1715 |
| passed,..... | 1761 |
| §16. To amend act No. 50, of the session laws of 1864; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref.,..... | 755 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 984 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1635 |
| passed,..... | 1706 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2530 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2556 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2562 |
| §17. To legalize the action of the township of Riley, in Clinton county, in raising bounties for volunteers, and to authorize them to refund money advanced to volunteers; | |
| introduced by Mr. Alexander, and ref.,..... | 755 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1013 |
| passed,..... | 2333 |

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318. To authorize the several township and cities, in the counties of Berrien and Cass, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, in township eight south, of range seventeen west, in said Berrien county, or in township eight south, of range sixteen west, in said county of Cass;
- introduced by Mr. Bonine, and ref.,..... 755
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 1522
 - com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... 1860
 - passed,..... 1925
 - returned from Senate,..... 2172
 - reported enrolled,..... 2280
 - vetoed and tabled,..... 2290-4
319. To authorize the trustees of the first Methodist Episcopal church, of the township of Park, in the county of St. Joseph, to convey real estate;
- introduced by Mr. Howard, and ref.,..... 756
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 1520
 - com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... 1999
 - passed,..... 2019
 - returned from Senate,..... 2308
 - reported enrolled,..... 2545
 - notice of approval,..... 2568
320. To authorize the several townships in the county of Berrien, to pledge their credit and raise by tax, or borrow money to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to some point on the Indiana State line, west of township 8 south, of range 19 west, in said county of Berrien;
- introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... 756
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 992
 - com. of whole dis. from and recommitted,..... 1400
 - passed,..... 1614-15
 - returned from Senate,..... 1752
 - reported enrolled,..... 1814
 - vetoed and tabled,..... 2289-92
321. To amend section 1, of an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved February 12th, 1855;
- introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref.,..... 756
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 983
 - reported and ord. to third reading,..... 1425
 - passed,..... 1504
322. To amend act number 16, of the session laws of 1864, being an act entitled "an act to authorize the formation of corporations for the running, booming and rafting of logs, by adding a new section thereto;
- introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... 756
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 782
 - reported and ordered to third reading,..... 1426
 - passed,..... 1470
323. In relation to suits commenced by attachments;
- introduced by Mr. Mead, and ref.,..... 756
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 1894
 - reported and ord. to third reading,..... 2183
 - passed,..... 2232
324. To organize union school district of Bay City;
- introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... 756-7
 - reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... 782
 - reported and ordered to third reading,..... 1426
 - passed,..... 1534

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| 325. To change the name of the village of Greenbush, in the county of Clinton, to Eureka; | Pa |
| introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref., | 1 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 14 |
| passed, | 14 |
| returned from Senate, | 14 |
| reported enrolled, | 14 |
| notice of approval, | 14 |
| 326. To provide for laying out and establishing a swamp land State road in the county of Lapeer; | |
| introduced by Mr. Emery, and ref., | 1 |
| 327. To provide for the payment of an indebtedness incurred by certain of the citizens of the township of Madison, in the county of Lenawee, to pay bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion; | |
| reported by the com. on bounties, and ord. to third reading, | 1 |
| passed, | 33 |
| returned from Senate, | 1 |
| reported enrolled, | 1 |
| notice of approval, | 14 |
| 328. To organize the township of Beaver, in Bay county; | |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1 |
| passed, | 12 |
| returned from Senate, | 14 |
| reported enrolled, | 14 |
| notice of approval, | 1 |
| 329. To amend and explain sections eight and nine, of an act entitled "an act authorizing the payment of bounties to volunteers in the service of the United States, approved the 5th day of February, 1864; | |
| reported by com. on bounties, and ref. to com. on ways and means, | 1 |
| 330. To prevent animals from running at large in the public highways, except in certain cases; | |
| reported by special com. and ref., | 1 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1 |
| passed, | 1 |
| returned from Senate, | 2 |
| reported enrolled, | 2 |
| notice of approval, | 2 |
| 331. Relating to the planting of trees in the highways, being a bill to amend section 1111, being section 2, of chapter 25, of the compiled laws, and to add two new sections thereto; | |
| reported by special com. and ref., | 1 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1 |
| passed, | 1 |
| returned from Senate, | 2 |
| reported enrolled, | 2 |
| notice of approval, | 2 |
| 332. To incorporate the village of Hubbardston; | |
| introduced by Mr. R. B. Smith, and ref., | 1 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 34 |
| passed, | 1 |
| returned from Senate, | 11 |
| reported enrolled, | 11 |
| notice of approval, | 11 |

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| 133. Granting swamp lands to the county of Shiawassee, to aid in cutting drains through the Whortleberry swamp in the township of Rush, in said county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Locke, and ref., | 829 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 842 |
| com. of whole dis. from and made special order, | 1544-6 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1628-30 |
| passed, | 1698 |
| 134. To establish the place of holding the next township meeting in the township of Grand Haven, in the county of Ottawa; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref., | 830 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 870 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 1422 |
| passed, | 1481 |
| returned from Senate, | 2071 |
| reported enrolled, | 2548 |
| notice of approval, | 2564 |
| 135. To provide for the construction of certain drains or ditches, in the counties of Lapeer and St. Clair, and making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid in the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Funston, and ref., | 830 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 984 |
| com. whole dis. from and made special ord., | 1546 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1630 |
| passed, | 1675-6 |
| 136. To amend section one, of an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a road to be known as the Montcalm and Gratiot State road, approved March 18th, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Camburn, and ref., | 830 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole, | 844 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special ord., | 1545-6 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1628-30 |
| passed, | 1686-7 |
| returned from Senate, | 2300 |
| reported enrolled, | 2543 |
| notice of approval, | 2562 |
| 137. To authorize school district number 6, in the township of Metamora, in the county of Lapeer, to borrow money to build a school-house; | |
| introduced by Mr. Brownell, and ref., | 830 |
| reported and tabled, | 1516 |
| 138. To amend section 7, of chapter 94, of the revised statutes, being section 2383, of the compiled laws, in regard to special administrators; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 830 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 933 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 1425 |
| passed, | 1478 |
| returned from Senate, | 2088 |
| reported enrolled, | 2549 |
| notice of approval, | 2564 |
| 138. To amend sections 1135, 1136 and 1137, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 38, of said laws, in reference to the recording of town plats, and the vacating of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Barber, and ref., | 831 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1948 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2183 |
| lost, reconsidered and passed, | 2236-7 |

339. To amend sections 1135, 1136 and 1137, of the compiled laws, being sections 4, 5 and 6, of chapter 38, of said laws, in reference to the recording of town plats, and the vacating of the same;
 returned from Senate,
 reported enrolled,
 notice of approval,
340. To amend section 1, of an act to provide for the laying out and establishing a State road, and appropriating certain swamp lands for the construction of the same, approved February 22, 1865;
 introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref.,
 reported and ref. to com. of whole,
 com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,
 passed, 17
 returned from Senate,
 reported enrolled,
 notice of approval,
341. Appropriating State swamp lands, to aid in completing the Greenbush and Gratiot State road;
 introduced by Mr. Pearl, and ref.,
 reported and ref. to com. of whole,
 com. of whole dis. from and made special ord.,
 ord. to third reading,
 passed,
342. To amend section number one, of act No. 236, of the session laws of 1863, being an act to provide for the protection of game in the State of Michigan;
 introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,
 reported and ref. to com. of whole,
 com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,
 tabled,
343. To amend section 3, of an act entitled an act relative to laying out, altering and discontinuing highways, being act No. 163, of the session laws of 1861;
 introduced by Mr. Sexton, and ref.,
 reported and ref. to com. of whole,
 reported and ord. to third reading,
 passed,
 returned from Senate,
 reported enrolled,
344. To amend an act entitled an act to amend act No. 61, of the session laws of 1863, entitled an act to authorize the building of a bridge across the Menominee river, and to appropriate six sections of swamp lands to the county of Menominee, for the purpose of building the same, approved March 4th, 1865, by adding two new sections thereto;
 introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,
 reported and ref. to com. of whole,
 reported and ordered to third reading,
 passed,
 returned from Senate,
 reported enrolled,
 notice of approval,
345. To authorize union school district No. 5, of the village of Burr Oak, St. Joseph county, to issue bonds;
 introduced by Mr. F. Parsons, and ref.,
 reported and ref. to com. of whole,
 reported and ord. to third reading,
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| To authorize school district number 5, of the village of Burr Oak, St. Joseph county, to issue bonds; | |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2308 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2435 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2444 |
| To amend an act entitled an act to vacate the present village plat of the village of Hubbardston, in the county of Ionia, and to legalize and establish a new plat thereof, approved March 2, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. R. B. Smith, and ref.,..... | 832 |
| To authorize the mutual fire insurance companies of this State to insure against loss or damage to property by lightning and tornadoes; | |
| introduced by Mr. White, and ref.,..... | 832 |
| Supplementary to an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved February 12, 1855, being an act to regulate the carrying of freight and passengers, and to prevent the diverting thereof; | |
| introduced by Mr. R. B. Smith, and ref.,..... | 852 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1248-9 |
| To amend section 26, of chapter 88, and section 16, of chapter 176, of the compiled laws, relative to registers of deeds; | |
| introduced by Mr. Crossman, and ref.,..... | 852 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1251 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2054 |
| passed,..... | 2105 |
| To regulate the running of certain trains upon the railroad of the so-called Detroit and Milwaukee railroad company; | |
| introduced by Mr. S. T. Parsons, and ref.,..... | 853 |
| To amend section 1, of an act entitled an act for the better protection of the public lands, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom, approved February 12, 1857, being section 5927, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. S. T. Parsons, and ref.,..... | 853 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 873 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1423 |
| passed,..... | 1499 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2078 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2435 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2445 |
| To amend section 3, chapter 5, of an act entitled an act to revise the charter of the city of Detroit, approved February 5, 1857; | |
| introduced by Mr. Warner, and ref.,..... | 853 |
| reported and passed,..... | 873 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 895 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 907-8 |
| notice of approval,..... | 909 |
| To incorporate the village of Manchester; | |
| introduced by Mr. Corey, and ref.,..... | 853 |
| reported and ref. to com. whole,..... | 908 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1355 |
| passed,..... | 1368 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1447 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2006 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2012 |

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| 354. To authorize the township of Laketown, in the county of Allegan, to raise by tax, a sufficient sum of money to pay arrearages due from the township, for bounties to volunteers; | |
| introduced by Mr. Packard, and ref., | 853 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 981 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1780 |
| passed, | 1810 |
| returned from Senate, | 2067 |
| reported enrolled, | 2330 |
| notice of approval, | 2355 |
| 355. To authorize the planting and protection of shade and ornamental trees in the highways of the township of Hudson, Leewards county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Boles, and ref., | 853 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 901 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1423 |
| passed, | 1492 |
| returned from Senate, | 1593 |
| reported enrolled, | 1871 |
| notice of approval, | 1956 |
| 356. To provide for constructing a ditch or drain through a swamp in Lapeer county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Emery, and ref., | 854 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 930 |
| com. of whole discharged from and made special order, | 1546 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1629 |
| lost, | 1679-80 |
| reconsidered and passed, | 1777 |
| 347. To lay out and aid in the construction of the Clio and Chesaning State road, and to apply swamp lands and non-resident highway taxes, in the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref., | 854 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 986 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1546 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1630 |
| tabled, | 1673-4 |
| taken from table and passed, | 1778-9 |
| returned from Senate, | 2075 |
| reported enrolled, | 2279 |
| notice of approval, | 2286 |
| 358. To amend act No. 339, of the session laws of 1865, the same being an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the reclamation and drainage of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches; | |
| introduced by Mr. Greenfield, and ref., | 854 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 985 |
| com. of whole dis. from and made special order, | 1546 |
| ord to third reading, | 1630 |
| passed, | 1674-5 |
| returned from Senate, | 2529 |
| reported enrolled, | 2555 |
| notice of approval, | 2560 |
| 359. To attach certain territory to the townships of Sebawaing and Fair Haven, Huron county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref., | 854 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 871 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1422 |
| passed, | 1483 |
| returned from Senate, | 1593 |
| reported enrolled, | 1780 |
| notice of approval, | 1796 |

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| 360. To organize the township of Lake, in Huren county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref.,..... | 854 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 871 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1423 |
| passed,..... | 1483 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1593 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1780 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1795 |
| 361. To authorize the electors of the township of Columbia, in Van Buren county, to raise money by tax to pay Norman H. Adams, James M. Gray, and Amos S. Brown, for money advanced by them, as a committee, to fill the quota of said township; | |
| introduced by Mr. A. S. Brown, and ref.,..... | 854-5 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 983 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1787 |
| passed,..... | 1811 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2163 |
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| 430. To change the name of the Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind; | |
| reported by com. on Asylum for deaf, dumb and blind, and | |
| ref. to com. of whole, | 986 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1787 |
| passed, | 1809 |
| returned from Senate, amended, | 2214 |
| re-returned from Senate and amended; | 2358 |
| reported enrolled, | 2434 |
| notice of approval, | 2446 |
| 431. To authorize the city of Lansing, and any of the cities, incorporated villages or townships, in the counties of Ingham, Eaton, Clinton, Shiawassee and Livingston, to raise by tax and donate money to the Central Michigan Agricultural Society; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kedzie, and ref., | 1000 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1020 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1858 |
| passed, | 1910 |
| returned from Senate, | 2070 |
| reported enrolled, | 2278 |
| notice of approval, | 2287 |
| 432. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a ditch, to be known as the Tuscola and Saginaw Bay State ditch; | |
| introduced by Mr. Greenfield, and ref., | 1000 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1016 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order, | 1546 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1620 |
| passed, | 1700 |
| 433. To amend act No. 273, of session laws of 1865, it being an act to amend section 821, it being section 39, of chapter 17, of the compiled laws, relative to the payment of taxes to township treasurers; | |
| rep. by com. on State affairs, and ref. to com. whole, | 987 |
| recommitted, | 1875 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1891 |
| lost, | 1982 |
| reconsidered and tabled, | 2000 |
| 434. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a road to be known as the Marathon and junction State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Greenfield, and ref., | 1000 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1015 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order, | 1546 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1630 |
| passed, | 1699 |
| 435. To authorize school district No. 2, of the township of Jefferson, in the county of Hillsdale, to borrow money to buy a site and build a school-house; | |
| introduced by Mr. McCutcheon, and ref., | 1000 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1129 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1647 |
| passed, | 1599 |
| returned from Senate, | 1752 |
| reported enrolled, | 1872 |
| notice of approval, | 1957 |

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| 436. To amend section 465, of chapter 10, of the compiled laws, being section 117, of chapter 14, of the revised statutes of 1846; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hawley, and ref.,..... | 1001 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1072 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1874 |
| lost,..... | 1970 |
| 437. For the protection of females; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hawley, and ref.,..... | 1001 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1069 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1873 |
| passed,..... | 1971 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2167 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2549 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2563 |
| 438. To amend section 1, of an act entitled an act to lay out and construct a road to be known as the "White Rock and Bingham State road," approved February 5, 1864; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref.,..... | 1001 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1157 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1682 |
| passed,..... | 1738 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2067 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2329 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2356 |
| 439. To organize the township of Butler, in Huron county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref.,..... | 1001 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1191 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 2003 |
| tabled,..... | 2022 |
| 440. To provide for the re-payment of certain State bounties to the township of Alpena; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref.,..... | 1001 |
| 441. To improve the drainage and navigation of the Thunder Bay river, in the counties of Alpena and Presque Isle, and appropriate State swamp lands therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref.,..... | 1001 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 1396 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1861 |
| tabled,..... | 1933 |
| 442. To prevent and prohibit foreign corporations from purchasing, holding, using, holding, or otherwise acting under the corporate franchise and property, of any corporation created by the laws of this State; | |
| introduced by Mr. E. Spalding, and ref.,..... | 1002 |
| 443. To provide for the completion of the Saginaw city and Owosso State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Taylor, and ref.,..... | 1002 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1396 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1862 |
| passed,..... | 1931 |
| 444. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the township of Frenchtown, in the county of Monroe; | |
| introduced by Mr. Dusseau, and ref.,..... | 1002 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1023-4 |
| passed,..... | 1043-4 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1131 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1286 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1328 |

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| 445. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of a State road from the north-west corner of section 36, in town 12 north, of range 6 east, to the township of Marathon, in Lapeer county, and appropriating certain swamp lands therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Newcombe, and ref., | 1002 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1728 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1905 |
| lost, reconsidered and tabled, | 1986 |
| taken from table and lost, | 2137 |
| reconsidered and tabled, | 2185 |
| 446. To authorize corporations of other States to engage in mining and manufacturing within this State; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hill, and ref., | 1002 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1581 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2057 |
| passed, | 2125-6 |
| 447. To amend sections 3 and 5, of chapter 165, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 196 of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 1002 |
| 448. To repeal section 5, of chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act 95, of the session laws of 1849, and act 323, of the session laws of 1850, being section 4443 of the compiled laws, relative to executions; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 1003 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1067 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2002 |
| passed, | 2032 |
| returned from Senate, | 2448 |
| reported enrolled, | 2554 |
| notice of approval, | 2560 |
| 449. To provide for proceeding by attachment, in certain cases; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 1003 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1067 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2002 |
| passed, | 2031 |
| returned from Senate, | 2524 |
| reported enrolled, | 2553 |
| notice of approval, | 2561 |
| 450. To authorize the townships, incorporated villages and cities, in the counties of Sanilac, Bay and Tuscola, to donate or loan money, or pledge their credit, to aid in the construction of a plank road in said counties; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 1003 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1554 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1858 |
| passed, | 1906-7-8 |
| returned from Senate, | 2308 |
| reported enrolled, | 2434 |
| 451. To amend section 58, of chapter 103, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 128 of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 1003 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1415 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2052 |
| passed, | 2106 |
| 452. To amend an act entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties, approved February 19, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; | |
| introduced by Mr. Jenness, and ref., | 1003 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1156 |

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| 452. To amend an act entitled an act for the incorporation of insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties, approved February 19, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; | |
| reported and ref. to com. on the judiciary,..... | 1881 |
| com. on the judiciary dis. from and ord. to third reading, .. | 1889 |
| passed,..... | 1981 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2449 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2554 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2579 |
| 453. To provide for the improvement of the Cheboygan river; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fenton, and ref.,..... | 1003 |
| 454. To amend act No. 235, of the session laws of 1863, being an act entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175 of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases;" | |
| introduced by Mr. Miles, and ref.,..... | 1004 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1251 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2004 |
| passed,..... | 2038 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2491 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2546 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2562 |
| 455. To authorize the township of Ada, in Kent county, to borrow money for bridge purposes; | |
| introduced by Mr. Murray, and ref.,..... | 1004 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1024 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed,..... | 1632 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2018 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2065 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2156 |
| 456. To amend section 7, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Marquette, approved February 10, 1859; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1004 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1018 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1873 |
| passed,..... | 1967-8 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2447 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2544 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2565 |
| 457. To organize the township of Cascade; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1004 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1022 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2312 |
| passed,..... | 2331 |
| 458. To organize the township of Negaunee, in the county of Washington; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1004 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1017-18 |
| passed,..... | 1042 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1131 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1147-8 |
| notice of approval,..... | 1327 |
| 459. To provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Washington county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1004 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1016 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1875 |
| passed,..... | 1838 |

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| 460. To appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes, for the improvement of roads; | |
| introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref., | 1004 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1663 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 2002 |
| passed, | 2020 |
| returned from Senate, | 2437 |
| reported enrolled, | 2546 |
| notice of approval, | 2559 |
| 461. To authorize the Hamtramck and Warren plank road company to increase the tolls on said road; | |
| reported by com. on banks and incorporations, and ref. to | |
| com. of whole, | 1019 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1873 |
| passed, | 1966 |
| returned from Senate, | 2478 |
| reported enrolled, | 2555 |
| notice of approval, | 2561 |
| 462. To organize the township of Munising; | |
| reported by the com. on towns and counties, and ref. to | |
| com. of whole, | 1021 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1874 |
| passed, | 1930 |
| returned from Senate, | 2080 |
| reported enrolled, | 2331 |
| notice of approval, | 2355 |
| 463. Providing for the appointment of commissioners of State roads, in the county of Ontonagon, by the Governor of this State; | |
| introduced by Mr. Emerson, and ref., | 1028 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1395 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2054 |
| tabled, | 2102 |
| 464. To authorize the levying a tax in the township of Sheridan, county of Calhoun, State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on money advanced for the township by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers to aid in suppressing the rebellion; | |
| introduced by Mr. Haven, and ref., | 1028 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1432 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 2053 |
| passed, | 2117 |
| returned from Senate, | 2304 |
| reported enrolled, | 2545 |
| notice of approval, | 2557 |
| 465. To amend section 7, of chapter 66, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2778, of the compiled laws; | |
| introduced by Mr. Lockwood, and ref., | 1028 |
| reported and tabled, | 1254 |
| 466. To amend sections 991, 997, 1031, 1032, 1037, 1038 and 1039, of the compiled laws, relative to the collection of assessments of labor upon highways; | |
| introduced by Mr. W. H. Osborn, and ref., | 1029 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1320 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2005 |
| recommitted, | 2040 |
| reported and tabled, | 2154 |

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| 467 To authorize the Roman Catholic Bishops, of Michigan, and their successors in office, to hold property in trust, for the use of that church; | |
| introduced by Mr. Glavin, and ref., | 1029 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 2153 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 2314 |
| passed, | 2342 |
| returned from Senate, | 2469 |
| reported enrolled, | 2555 |
| notice of approval, | 2561 |
| 468. To legalize the action of the township board and of the special township meeting of the township of Redford, county of Wayne, in voting in the year 1865, money to pay bounties to volunteers; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. C. Smith, and ref., | 1029 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 2064 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading, | 2313 |
| passed, | 2339 |
| 469. To attach certain territory to union school district No. 1, in the township of Columbia; | |
| introduced by Mr. A. S. Brown, and ref., | 1029 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 2152 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 2314 |
| passed, | 2340 |
| returned from Senate, | 2469 |
| reported enrolled, | 2563 |
| notice of approval, | 2557 |
| 470. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp land by means of a State road and ditch, in Huron county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref., | 1029 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1416 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 2053-6 |
| passed, | 2123 |
| 471. To detach certain territory from the county of Tuscola, and attach the same to the county of Bay; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref., | 1030 |
| 472. To change the third and eleventh judicial circuit, and to provide for holding the circuit courts therein; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 1030 |
| 473. Supplementary to an act entitled "an act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein;" | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 1030 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1323 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2051 |
| passed, | 2110 |
| returned from Senate, | 2524 |
| reported enrolled, | 2545 |
| notice of approval, | 2563 |
| 474. To authorize the common council of the city of Detroit, to divide any ward of said city into two wards or election districts, and to provide for the registration of qualified voters therein; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 1030 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1068 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1873 |
| passed, | 1968 |
| returned from Senate, | 2460 |
| reported enrolled, | 2546 |
| notice of approval, | 2565 |

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| 475. To amend act No. 39, of Session laws of 1865, entitled an act to amend section 15, of chapter 21, of compiled laws, relative to the duties of overseers of highways, approved February 10, 1865; | |
| introduced by Mr. Aitkin, and ref., | 1030 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1296 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2003 |
| recommitted, | 2040 |
| reported and passed, | 2144 |
| returned from Senate, | 2522 |
| reported enrolled, | 2544 |
| notice of approval, | 2557 |
| 476. To provide for the construction of certain drains or ditches, in the counties of St Clair and Sanilac, and making an appropriation of swamp land to aid in the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Funston, and ref., | 1031 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1245 |
| reported and ord to third reading, | 2003 |
| passed, | 2037-8 |
| 477. To regulate the selection of swamp lands, appropriated for roads in the Upper Peninsula, and to provide for the sale thereof in certain cases; | |
| introduced by Mr. McKernan, and ref., | 1031 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1242 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2003 |
| passed, | 2036 |
| 478. To provide against the recovery of damages done by beast or beasts on lands that are not enclosed by lawful fences, within the bounds of the townships of Grosse Point, Greenfield and Springwells, in the county of Wayne; | |
| introduced by Mr. Chauvin, and ref., | 1031 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1126 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1874 |
| passed, | 1978 |
| 479. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of Swamp lands, by means of a road, to be known as the Sebewaing and Tuscola county State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Greenfield, and ref., | 1031 |
| com. of whole dis. from and made special ord., | 1544 |
| ord. to third reading, | 1628 |
| passed, | 1694 |
| 480. To lay out and establish a State road from the mill dam in the village of Cheboygan, in the county of Cheboygan, to Mackinaw city, in Emmet county, to be known as the Cheboygan and Mackinaw State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fenton, and ref., | 1032 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1243 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1681 |
| passed, | 1735 |
| 481. To lay out and establish a State road from Duncan Bay, in Cheboygan county, to Little Traverse Bay, in Emmet county, to be known as the Duncan and Little Traverse Bay State road; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fenton, and ref., | 1032 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1241 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1681 |
| passed, | 1737 |

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| 482. To incorporate the city of Muskegon; | |
| introduced by Mr. Holt, and ref.,..... | 1033 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1898 |
| passed,..... | 2335 |
| 483. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the city of Jackson, for the year 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. Upton, and ref.,..... | 1033 |
| 484. To exempt from taxation the real and personal property of any lodge or association of Masons, Odd Fellows or Good Templars; | |
| introduced by Mr. Upton, and ref.,..... | 1033 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1187-8 |
| 485. Making an appropriation to pay the arrearages of the Michigan Asylum for the insane, for the years 1865 and 1866; | |
| introduced by Mr. E. Spalding, and ref.,..... | 1033 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1295 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2005 |
| 486. Making an appropriation to complete the Asylum for the insane; | |
| introduced by Mr. E. Spalding, and ref.,..... | 1033 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1295 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2005 |
| 487. To authorize the levying a tax in the township of Blackman, in the county of Jackson, in the State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of a debt, contracted by certain persons, for paying bounties to volunteers to aid in suppressing the rebellion; | |
| introduced by Mr. Upton, and ref.,..... | 1033 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1662 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed,..... | 1918 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2067 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2549 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2562 |
| 488. To change the time of holding the annual school meeting in the city of Niles; | |
| introduced by Mr. Bonine, and ref.,..... | 1053 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole,..... | 1434 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1862 |
| passed,..... | 1912 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2071 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2547 |
| 489. To authorize the township of Sebawaing, in the county of Huron, to raise money by tax, for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Gallup, and ref.,..... | 1053 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1580 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 2001 |
| passed,..... | 2026 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2303 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2546 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2568 |
| 490. To prescribe the weight of certain articles; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hawley, and ref.,..... | 1054 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 1072 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 2312 |
| tabled,..... | 2329 |
| 491. To organize the township of Morgan; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1034 |

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| 492. To amend section 13, of an act entitled an act to amend section 1, of an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches, approved February 12, 1859, by adding thereto sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, approved, March 16, 1861, approved March 20, 1863; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1034 |
| reported and ref. to com. whole,..... | 1556 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 2056 |
| tabled,..... | 2118-19 |
| taken from table and passed,..... | 2224-6 |
| 493. To quiet the title of certain lands; | |
| introduced by Mr. F. Parsons, and ref.,..... | 1034 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1366 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1983 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2308 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2545 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2563 |
| 494. To authorize the county of St. Joseph to build, construct, and repair all bridges across the St. Joseph river, in the county of St. Joseph, at the expense of the county at large; | |
| introduced by Mr. Eck, and ref.,..... | 1034 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1623 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2058-9 |
| tabled,..... | 2129 |
| 495. To amend section 39, of chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5783, of the compiled laws, relative to false pretenses; | |
| introduced by Mr. Grier, and ref.,..... | 1034 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1068 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1945 |
| passed,..... | 1989 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2170 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2550 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2562 |
| 496. To detach certain territory from the township of Royalton, in the county of Berrien, and to organize a new township, to be called the township of Lincoln; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... | 1035 |
| 497. To amend section one, of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of St. Joseph, approved March 7th, 1854, and the act amendatory thereto, approved February 11th, 1859; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... | 1035 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1897 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2184 |
| passed,..... | 2233 |
| 498. To authorize the several townships in the counties of Berrien and Van Buren to pledge their credit, and raise by tax or borrow money to aid in the construction of a railroad commencing at a point on the south and west line of St. Joseph river, in the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, and from thence to the village of Paw Paw, in the county of Van Buren; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... | 1035 |
| com. of whole dis. from and recommitted,..... | 1400 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1614-15 |
| passed,..... | 1648 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 1732 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 1814 |

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| 499. To authorize the village of St. Joseph, in the county of Berrien, to borrow money or raise by tax, a sum for making public improvements in said village; | |
| introduced by Mr. C. R. Brown, and ref.,..... | 1035 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 2203 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading..... | 2314 |
| passed,..... | 2341 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2479 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2545 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2569 |
| 500. To provide for copying and binding mutilated assessment rolls and other papers; | |
| introduced by Mr. Brownell, and ref.,..... | 1035 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1190 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2002 |
| passed,..... | 2023 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2465 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2556 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2561 |
| 501. To authorize and legalize a re survey of the village plat of the village of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, and to authorize the recording of said new village plat in the office of the register of deeds of said county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref.,..... | 1036 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1298 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2004 |
| passed,..... | 2041 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2300 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2434 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2446 |
| 502.. To repeal section 20, of an act entitled an act to authorize the formation of corporations for mining, smelting or manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved February 5, 1853, being section 1818 of the compiled laws, and an act entitled an act imposing a special tax upon corporations and chartered companies, engaged in the business of mining, smelting and refining ores in the State, approved March 10, 1865, and to provide for the taxation of the real estate and personal property of all corporations and chartered companies engaged in the business of mining, smelting or refining ores in this State; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hill, and ref.,..... | 1036 |
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| notice of approval, | 2557 |

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| 582. To attach Cheboygan county to the 11th judicial circuit; | |
| introduced by Mr. Fenton, and ref.,..... | 1101 |
| reported and ref. to com. of the whole,..... | 1392 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2001 |
| passed,..... | 2022 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2447 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2544 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2545 |
| 583. To legalize the action of the commissioners of highways of the | |
| townships of Brockway and Emmet, in the county of St. Clair, | |
| as to building a bridge across Milk Creek, between said town- | |
| ships; | |
| introduced by Mr. Funston, and ref.,..... | 1101 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1514 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 2053 |
| passed,..... | 2118 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2522 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2554-5 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2563 |
| 584. Relative to murder in the first degree, and the penalty therefor; | |
| introduced by Mr. Wilson, and ref.,..... | 1104 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1896-7 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2214 |
| lost,..... | 2452 |
| 585. To amend section 454, of the compiled laws, relative to com- | |
| pensation of county surveyors; | |
| introduced by Mr. Holt, and ref.,..... | 1102 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1246 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2005 |
| 586. To authorize any of the townships or incorporated villages in | |
| the counties of Sanilac and Lapeer, to vote a tax or pledge | |
| their credit to aid in the construction of a plank road from | |
| Lexington, in Sanilac county, to Lapeer, in Lapeer county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Huckins and ref.,..... | 1102 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2207 |
| 587. To authorize any of the townships, cities and incorporated | |
| villages on a proposed line from the city of Lansing by way of | |
| St. Johns, in Clinton county, and St. Louis, in Gratiot county, | |
| to some point north, to intersect with the Flint and Pere Mar- | |
| quette railroad, to vote a tax or pledge their credit to aid in the | |
| construction of a railroad; | |
| introduced by Mr. L. Smith, and ref.,..... | 1102 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1685 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1754 |
| passed,..... | 1765-6 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2072 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2277 |
| vetoed,..... | 2289 |
| tabled,..... | 2292 |
| 588. To amend section 4, of act number 216, of session laws of 1865, | |
| being an act to accept a grant of land by act of Congress, to | |
| aid in the construction of a ship canal and harbor at the head | |
| of Portage Lake, to connect with Lake Superior, and to pro- | |
| vide for the construction of the same; | |
| introduced by Mr. Van Vleet, and ref.,..... | 1102 |
| 589. To provide for the reclamation and drainage of Swamp lands, | |
| by means of a State road and ditch to be known as the Koylton | |
| State ditch; | |
| introduced by Mr. Greenfield, and ref.,..... | 1103 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1243 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2004 |
| passed,..... | 2037 |

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| 590. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a state road and ditches, from the north-west corner of section 5, in town 1 north, of range 3 west, to the north-west corner of section 5, in town 1 north, of range 5 west, in the county of Eaton; | |
| introduced by Mr. P. S. Spalding, and ref.,..... | 1108 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1293 |
| com. whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1756 |
| passed,..... | 1771 |
| 591. To authorize and require the township of Onondaga, in the county of Ingham, to raise by tax and pay certain moneys for the purpose therein mentioned; | |
| introduced by Mr. Kedzie, and ref.,..... | 1103 |
| substitute reported for and ord. to third reading,..... | 1756 |
| passed,..... | 1772 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2074 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2433 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2446 |
| 592. To provide for laying out and establishing a State road from the village of Munising, in town 47 north, of range 18 west, in Schoolcraft county, to the village of Escanaba, in town 39 north, of range 28 west, in Delta county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Healy, and ref.,..... | 1103 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1436 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2053 |
| passed,..... | 2124 |
| 593. To repeal act number 235, of the session laws of 1863, entitled an act to amend chapter 150, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 175, of the compiled laws, entitled "of the fees of certain officers in civil cases;" | |
| introduced by Mr. Caniff, and ref.,..... | 1104 |
| 594. To amend sections 10 and 12, of an act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders, as amended by act number 250, of session laws of 1861; | |
| introduced by Mr. Caniff, and ref.,..... | 1104 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1662 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2058 |
| passed,..... | 2132 |
| returned from Senate,..... | 2437 |
| reported enrolled,..... | 2546 |
| notice of approval,..... | 2562 |
| 595. Appropriating State swamp lands to complete the New Haven and Fairfield State road, in Shiawassee county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Locke, and ref.,..... | 1104 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1518 |
| 596. To amend an act for the better protection of the public lands, and to punish the cutting and carrying away of timber therefrom, approved February 12, 1857, and to extend the provisions of said act to private lands; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref.,..... | 1119 |
| 597. To organize the fifth ward of the city of Lansing; | |
| introduced by Mr. Dunlap, and ref.,..... | 1119 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1218 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2054-5 |
| taken from table, substitute reported for and passed,..... | 2227-8 |
| 598. To instruct the Attorney General to bring a certain suit at law; | |
| introduced by Mr. Glavin, and ref.,..... | 1120 |
| 599. To provide for the payment of certain claims for the drainage and reclamation of State swamp lands; | |
| introduced by Mr. Holt, and ref.,..... | 1120 |

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| 600. To repeal an act entitled an act to organize the county of Washington; | |
| introduced by Mr. Walker, and ref., | 1130 |
| reported and made special order, | 1849 |
| reported and all after enacting clause stricken out, | 2280 |
| 601. To incorporate the village of Holland, in Ottawa county, into a city by the name of the city of Holland; | |
| introduced by Mr. Hopkins, and ref., | 1130 |
| reported and passed, | 1838-9 |
| returned from Senate, | 2093 |
| reported enrolled, | 2433 |
| notice of approval, | 2444 |
| 602. To incorporate the city of Lowell, in Kent county; | |
| introduced by Mr. Slayton, and ref., | 1121 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1437-8 |
| passed and title amended, | 1449 |
| returned from Senate, | 2068 |
| reported enrolled, | 2433 |
| notice of approval, | 2444 |
| 603. To define the title to lands deeded by the Auditor General; | |
| introduced by Mr. P. S. Spalding, and ref., | 1121 |
| reported and tabled, | 1325-6 |
| 604. To provide for the tax for the expenses of the State government; | |
| reported by com. on ways and means and ref. to com. of whole, | 1074 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 2312 |
| recommitted, | 2327-8 |
| reported and passed, | 2346-7 |
| returned from Senate, | 2414 |
| reported enrolled, | 2550 |
| notice of approval, | 2562 |
| 605. To provide an additional sum for the payment of members and officers of the Legislature, for the year 1867; | |
| reported by com. on ways and means and ref. to com. of whole, | 1074 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1874 |
| passed, | 1974 |
| returned from Senate, | 2164 |
| reported enrolled, | 2331 |
| notice of approval, | 2355 |
| 606. To provide for the interest on the State debt; | |
| reported by com. on ways and means and ref. to com. of whole, | 1074 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1874 |
| passed, | 1973 |
| returned from Senate, | 2163 |
| reported enrolled, | 2543 |
| notice of approval, | 2562 |

BILLS OF THE SENATE ACTED ON BY THE HOUSE.

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| 1. Respecting the collection of certain ditch taxes in the townships of Romulus and Van Buren, in the county of Wayne, for the year 1866, and for the re-assessment thereof; | |
| received and passed, | 108 |
| 2. To authorize the public schools of the city of Adrian to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing a central school building; | |
| received and ref., | 140 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 159 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 183 |
| passed, | 187 |

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| 3. To amend act No. 227, of the session laws of 1863, entitled an act to amend sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, and 9, of the revised statutes of 1846, being sections 5350, 5351, 5353, 5354, 5355 and 5358 of the compiled laws, touching the limitations of actions relating to real property, approved March 20, 1863; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 140-1 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 161 |
| 4. To amend section six, of an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek, approved February 3d, 1859, relative to the time of holding the annual election; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 142 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 159 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 220 |
| passed,..... | 274 |
| 5. To authorize school district number 7, of the township of Plainfield, in the county of Kent, to issue bonds for the purposes therein mentioned; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 161 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 178 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 219 |
| passed,..... | 273-4 |
| 6. To establish and organize school district number thirteen, in the township of Oshkemo, county of Kalamazoo, and State of Michigan; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 161-2 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 353 |
| com. of whole discharged from and passed,..... | 535-6 |
| 7. To legalize the tax roll of the township of Big Rapids, in the county of Mecosta, for the year 1866, and to extend the time for the collection of the taxes therein; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 161-2 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 311 |
| passed,..... | 336 |
| 8. To authorize fractional school district number 8, of the townships of Antwerp and Porter, in the county of Van Buren, to organize a graded school, and to pledge the credit of said school district, for the purpose of building a union school-house; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 162 |
| passed,..... | 169 |
| 9. Relative to recording deeds, mortgages and instruments of record; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 179-80 |
| substitute reported for and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 196 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 342 |
| passed,..... | 370 |
| retransmitted, amended, and amendments concurred in,... | 865 |
| 10. To provide for the purchase, preparation and care of the Antietam National Cemetery, at Sharpsburg, in the State of Maryland; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 180 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 350 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 596-7 |
| passed,..... | 921 |
| 11. To authorize school district number three, of the township of Hillsdale, in the county of Hillsdale, to borrow money and negotiate its bonds therefor; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 198 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 245 |
| passed,..... | 275-6 |

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| 12. To prevent the adulteration of milk, and to prevent the traffic in impure and unwholesome milk; | |
| received and ref., | 265-6 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole, | 285 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 439 |
| passed, | 471 |
| 13. To provide for the incorporation of lodges of the Independent Order of Good Templars; | |
| received and ref., | 265-6 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 281 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 297 |
| passed, | 332 |
| 14. Supplementary to section 19, of an act entitled an act disposing of certain grants of land made to the State of Michigan for railroad purposes, by an act of Congress, approved June 3, 1856, approved February 14th, 1857, and to an act approved February 5th, 1864, and also to an act entitled "an act to confer an additional grant of public lands upon the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad Company," approved March 10, 1865; | |
| received and ref., | 266 |
| reported and made special order, | 379-81 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 582 |
| passed, | 607-8 |
| 15. Authorizing the State Treasurer to surrender the bonds deposited in his office, as security for the circulating notes of certain chartered banks; | |
| received and ref., | 266 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 349 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 595-7 |
| passed, | 921 |
| 16. To legalize the tax-rolls of certain townships in the county of Midland, for the year 1866; | |
| received and ref., | 266 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 351 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1049 |
| passed, | 1107 |
| 17. To amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the village of Ionia, approved February 17, 1865; | |
| received and ref., | 267 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 282 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and recommitted, | 447 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 642 |
| passed, | 665 |
| 18. To legalize certain bonds issued by the townships of Kalamazoo and Portage, Kalamazoo county, to aid in the construction of the Kalamazoo and Schoolcraft railroad; | |
| received and ref., | 269 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 384-5 |
| passed, | 406 |
| passed over Governor's veto | 702 |
| 19. To amend section 4, of chapter 162, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5962 of the compiled laws, relative to proceedings to prevent crime; | |
| received and ref., | 317-18 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 362 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 672-3 |
| passed, | 765 |

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| 20. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the townships of Greenfield, Hamtramck and Springwells, in the county of Wayne, for the year 1866; received and passed,..... | 618 |
| 21. To extend the time for the collection of State and county taxes in the city of Detroit; received and ord. to third reading,..... tabled,..... taken from table and passed,..... | 618 339 364 |
| 22. To amend section 4, of chapter 140, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5384, of the compiled laws, relative to limitations of actions; received and ref.,..... reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... reported and ord. to third reading,..... passed,..... | 362 385 487 1144 1172 |
| 23. To amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the city of Marshall," approved February 14, 1859, relative to the jurisdiction of justices of the peace; received and ref.,..... reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... reported and ord. to third reading,..... passed,..... | 393 518 1229 1263 |
| 24. To amend act number 106, of the session laws of 1861, entitled an act in relation to the collection of recognizances in criminal cases, approved March 7, 1861; received and ref.,..... reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... reported and ord. to third reading,..... passed,..... | 393 487 1144-5 1170 |
| 25. To accept a grant of land made by Congress to aid in the construction of a harbor at Lac La Belle; received and ord. to third reading,..... passed,..... | 394 404-5 |
| 26. To amend section 42, of chapter 65, of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "of alienation by deed, and the proof and recording of conveyances, and the canceling of mortgages," being section 2761 of the compiled laws, and to add three new sections to said chapter 65, to stand as sections 45, 46 and 47, thereof; received and ref.,..... reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... reported and ordered to third reading,..... passed,..... | 394-5 486-7 1144-5 1169 |
| 27. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the townships of Ionia and Lyons, in the county of Ionia, for the year 1866; received and passed,..... | 396 |
| 28. To legalize and confirm the action of school district No. 9, of the township of Grass Lake, in borrowing money and providing for the issue of bonds, for the purpose of enlarging its school building; received and ref.,..... reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... reported and ord. to third reading,..... passed,..... | 421 437 1007 1038 |
| 29. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the township of Romulus, in the county of Wayne; received and ord. to third reading,..... passed,..... | 461 464 |

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| 30. To amend section 23, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5842 of the compiled laws, and the act amendatory thereof, entitled "an act to amend section 23, of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "of offenses against public justice," the same being section 5842 of the compiled laws," approved March 20, 1865; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 492 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 587 |
| 31. To re-organize the 5th, 7th and 9th judicial circuits, and to create the 14th judicial circuit; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 493-4 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 585-6 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 665 |
| recommitted,..... | 668 |
| reported and passed,..... | 679 |
| returned and recommitted,..... | 846-8 |
| reported and amendments concurred in,..... | 876 |
| 32. Making an appropriation to pay the arrearages of the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Blind, for the years 1865 and 1866; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 494 |
| passed,..... | 504 |
| 33. To confer additional powers upon the village of South Saginaw; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 494 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 517 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| passed,..... | 1263 |
| 34. To authorize union school district number 1, of Wyoming and Georgetown, counties of Kent and Ottawa, to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing a school building; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 494-5 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 515 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 2371 |
| passed,..... | 2397 |
| 35. To legalize the assessment and collection of certain school taxes in the township of Victor, in the county of Clinton, for the year 1866, and to authorize school district number one of said township, to issue bonds for school purposes; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 494-5 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 514 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1228 |
| passed,..... | 1260 |
| 36. To provide for additional securities from township treasurers, in certain cases; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 494-5 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 517 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| passed,..... | 1261 |
| 37. Making appropriation to pay the arrearages of the State Reform School for the years 1865 and 1866; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 495 |
| passed,..... | 503 |
| 38. To change the name of the trustees, in trust, of the "First Methodist Episcopal Church of Saginaw city," to the "Methodist Episcopal Church of the city of Saginaw;" | |
| received and ref.,..... | 495 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 552 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1231 |
| passed,..... | 1273 |

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| 39. To amend an act entitled "an act to provide for the formation of companies to construct plank roads," approved April 8th, 1851; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 495 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 517 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1229 |
| passed,..... | 1262 |
| reconsidered with a request to return to House,..... | 1309 |
| returned and recommitted,..... | 1312-13 |
| passed,..... | 1389 |
| 40. To amend sections 12, 22, 28, 31, 41, 53, 55, 98, 107 109, 137 and 140, of chapter 58, of the revised statutes of 1846, being sections 2255, 2265, 2271, 2274, 2284, 2296, 2298, 2322, 2341, 2350, 2352, 2378, 2381, of the compiled laws, and section 14, of an act entitled "an act for the relief of school districts," approved February 7, 1855, being section 2412 of the compiled laws; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 521 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,.... | 709 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and made special order,..... | 754 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 860 |
| passed,..... | 863 |
| 41. To provide for the protection and preservation of fish, in the lakes, ponds, rivers and creeks, in the counties of Oakland, Genesee, Livingston, Cass, Hillsdale and Lenawee; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 522 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 683 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1381 |
| lost,..... | 1466 |
| reconsidered and recommitted,..... | 1539 |
| reported and recommitted,..... | 1667 |
| reported and passed,..... | 1724-5 |
| retransmitted, amended, and amendments concur'd in,... | 1965-6 |
| 42. For the relief of school district No. 1, in the township of Oronoko, in the county of Berrien; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 522 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 526 |
| passed,..... | 533 |
| 43. To repeal an act entitled an act to incorporate the Monroe and Erie Plank Road Company, approved April 3d, 1848, and the act amendatory thereof, approved February 16, 1849; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 522 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 549 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 690 |
| passed,..... | 760 |
| 44. To amend sections 5, 10 and 24, of an act entitled an act to authorize the formation of companies for mining, smelting or manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved February 5th, 1853, being sections 1803, 1808 and 1822, of the compiled laws; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 564 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 643-4 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1381 |
| passed,..... | 1455 |
| retransmitted and substitute for amendments con. in,... | 1589-90 |
| 45. To amend section 14, of an act entitled an act "to define the powers and duties of the board of supervisors of the several counties and to confer upon them certain local, administrative and legislative powers," approved April 8, 1851, being section 348 of the compiled laws; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 564 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 635 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1381 |
| passed,..... | 1456 |

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| 46. To attach certain towns in the county of Newaygo to the township of Barton, in said county; | |
| received and ref., | 585 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 632 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1381 |
| passed, | 1457 |
| 47. To provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands, by means of State roads and ditches, from Crawford's marble quarry to the Duncan, Alpena and Sauble river State road; | |
| received and ref., | 567 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 714 |
| com. of whole discharged from and made special order, .. | 1543 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1627-30 |
| passed, | 1739 |
| 48. To secure uniformity in election returns; | |
| received and ref., | 567 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 932 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1426 |
| passed, | 1494 |
| 49. To authorize the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Lawton, in the county of Van Buren, to convey certain real estate; | |
| received and ref., | 567 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 635 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1381 |
| passed, | 1468 |
| 50. To provide for the formation of corporations for establishing health institutions; | |
| received and ref., | 636 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 712 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1406 |
| passed, | 1474 |
| 51. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize the formation of corporations for building and leasing houses and other tenements, approved February 12, 1855, being section 1716, of the compiled laws, and to add a new section thereto; | |
| received and ref., | 636 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 713 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1406 |
| passed, | 1471 |
| 52. To legalize the assessment roll of the township of Fort Gratiot, and provide for the collection thereof; | |
| received and passed, | 721 |
| 53. To regulate drayage to and from railroads; | |
| received and ref., | 726 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 780 |
| passed, | 833 |
| 54. To amend section 2923, of the compiled laws, relative to the examination of claims against estates by judges of probate; | |
| received and ref., | 726 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 2191 |
| passed, | 2240 |
| 55. To provide for the preservation of the Muskegon river improvement, and for other purposes; | |
| received and ref., | 750 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 874 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1786 |
| recommitted, reported and passed, | 1812-13 |

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| 56. To amend section 9, of chapter 38, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2999 of the compiled laws, relative to the distribution and partition of estates; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 750 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 780 |
| passed,..... | 834 |
| 57. To provide for filling vacancies in the office of overseer of highways; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 822 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 951 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1426 |
| passed,..... | 1477 |
| 58. To amend section 88, of an act entitled an act to provide for assessing property at its true value, and for levying and collecting taxes thereon, approved February 14, 1853, it being section 870 of the compiled laws, relative to the duty of county treasurers; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 847-8 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 1893 |
| 59. To amend section 3, of chapter 55, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2145 of the compiled laws, relative to corporations; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 849 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 878 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1422 |
| passed,..... | 1493 |
| 60. To amend act number 266, of the session laws of the year 1865, being an act to authorize any of the townships and cities of the counties of St. Clair, Lapeer, Genesee and Shiawassee, to pledge their credit in aid of the construction of a railroad from Port Huron to some point on the line of the Detroit and Milwaukee railroad, in Shiawassee county; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 849-50 |
| ref. to com. on internal improvements,..... | 863 |
| reported and made special order,..... | 905 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1045 |
| passed,..... | 1105 |
| 61. To authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of engaging in commerce and navigation; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 849-50 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 879 |
| recommitted to com. of whole,..... | 896 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 916 |
| passed,..... | 973 |
| 62. To cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over land to be occupied as sites of light-house buildings in this State; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 849-50 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 880 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1422 |
| passed,..... | 1494 |
| 63. To legalize the action of the board of school inspectors of the township of Otsego, in the county of Allegan, in the organization of school districts number five, six and eight, in said township; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 849-50 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 1321 |
| passed,..... | 1348 |

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| 64. To authorize school district number one, of the village and township of Kalamazoo, in the county of Kalamazoo, to convey certain real estate belonging to said school district; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 849-50 |
| reported and ref. to com. whole,..... | 902-3 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1423 |
| passed,..... | 1487 |
| 65. To organize the county of Washington; | |
| received and passed,..... | 882-3 |
| 66. To authorize the township board of the township of Summit, in Jackson county, to borrow money and issue bonds for certain purposes; | |
| received and passed,..... | 882-4 |
| 67. To authorize the several townships and cities of St. Clair, Macomb, Oakland, Livingston, Washtenaw, Ingham, Jackson Calhoun, Branch, St. Joseph, Cass and Berrien counties, to pledge their credit in the construction of a railroad, from some point on or near the St. Clair river, to the Indiana State line, on the route deemed most eligible, to Chicago, in the State of Illinois; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 913 |
| reported and made special order,..... | 1247 |
| taken from special order and ord. to third reading,..... | 1620 |
| passed,..... | 1642-3 |
| 68. To provide for the formation of street railway companies; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 955 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 988 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1281 |
| passed,..... | 1304 |
| 69. For the relief of the township of Rose, in the county of Oakland; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 955-6 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 982 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1607 |
| passed,..... | 1746 |
| 70. To legalize the tax-roll of the township of Raisinville, in the county of Monroe, for the year 1866; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 955 |
| passed,..... | 974 |
| 71. To detach certain territory from the township of Lyons, in Ionia county, and attach the same to the township of Ionia, in the same county; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 955 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1022 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1355 |
| passed,..... | 1369 |
| 72. To change the name of Florence Klipp to Flora Woodruff; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 955 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1070 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1874 |
| passed,..... | 1976 |
| 73. To incorporate the village of Plymouth; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 959 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1065 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1175 |
| passed,..... | 1206 |

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| 74. To detach township thirty-three north, of range eight west, and fractional township thirty-three north, of range nine west, from the organized township of Charlevoix, in the county of Emmet, and to organize the same into a township by the name of Marion; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 997 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1022-3 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1873 |
| passed,..... | 1929 |
| 75. Amendatory and supplementary to act No. 49, of session laws of 1864, entitled "an act to authorize the several townships in the counties of Livingston, Oakland, Washtenaw and Wayne, to pledge their credit, and the county of Livingston, to raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the construction of a railroad from some point near the city of Detroit, to Howell, in the county of Livingston;" | |
| received and ref.,..... | 997 |
| reported and made special ord.,..... | 1248 |
| leave granted com. to sit again,..... | 1612 |
| taken from special ord. and ord. to third reading,..... | 1630 |
| passed,..... | 1644-5 |
| 76. To provide for the payment of unliquidated swamp land contracts; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 997-8 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1016 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1875 |
| tabled,..... | 1937 |
| taken from table, recommitted, reported and passed,.... | 1998-9 |
| 77. To authorize the commissioners of highways of the township of Gun Plains, to re-build a bridge across the Kalamazoo river, in said township, on the east and west quarter line, of section twenty-nine, in said township; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 998 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1023 |
| passed,..... | 1042-3 |
| 78. To change the name of the village of Mears, to the village of Elgin, in Muskegon county; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 998-9 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1021 |
| com. of whole dis. from, and ord. to third reading,..... | 1347 |
| passed,..... | 1350 |
| 79. To authorize the levying of a tax in the township of Springfield, county of Oakland, and State of Michigan, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of a debt contracted for the payment of bounties to volunteers, to aid in suppressing the rebellion; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 998-9 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1561 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2191 |
| passed,..... | 2239 |
| 80. To amend section 1, of chapter 70, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 2877, of chapter 94, of the compiled laws, entitled "of the administration and distribution of estates of deceased persons;" | |
| received and ref.,..... | 999 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 2011 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2199 |
| passed,..... | 2271-2 |

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| 81. To amend sections 35, 41 and 45, of the charter of the city of Marshall, and to add a new section thereto; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 999 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole,..... | 1217 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1607 |
| passed,..... | 1745 |
| 82. Relating to the employment of the labor of convicts at the State prison, in certain cases; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 999 |
| reported and ref., to com. of whole,..... | 1785-6 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2002 |
| passed,..... | 2027-8 |
| 83. To authorize the township treasurer of the township of Greenfield, county of Wayne, to pay moneys collected by him on the tax-roll of 1865, to pay bounties to volunteers, and to legalize the action of the supervisors in levying the same; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1027 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1061 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1281 |
| passed, reconsidered and tabled,..... | 1305 |
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| reported and ref.,..... | 1325 |
| reported and passed,..... | 1430 |
| 84. To authorize the mayor, recorder and aldermen of the city of Marshall, in Calhoun county, to borrow or raise money and to issue bonds, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of said city, and of building a bridge; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1086 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1578 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed,..... | 1682 |
| 85. To amend section 5774, of the compiled laws, relative to neglect or refusal to pay over moneys collected; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1086 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1718 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2194 |
| passed,..... | 2248 |
| 86. To amend section 127, of chapter 93, of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 3827, of the compiled laws, relating to the return of executions by constables; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1086 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1718 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2194 |
| passed,..... | 2252 |
| 87. To amend chapter 153, of the revised statutes of 1846, by adding thereto a new section, to stand as section 35; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1087 |
| 88. to amend section 1, of an act approved February 8, 1855, relative to qualified voters in school districts, and to repeal section 15, of primary school law; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1087 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1362 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2192 |
| passed,..... | 2269 |
| 89. To establish the northern terminus of the State road, known as the Greenville and Big Rapids State road; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1087 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1242 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2003 |
| passed,..... | 2043 |

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| 90. To revise and amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Bay City, approved March 21, 1865; | |
| reported and ref.,..... | 1114 |
| , reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1127 |
| passed, | 1132 |
| retransmitted, amended and amendments concurred in, .. | 1160 |
| retransmitted and tabled,..... | 1385 |
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| retransmitted and ord. to third reading,..... | 1868 |
| returned to Senate,..... | 1880 |
| 91. To extend the time for the collection of taxes in the city of Jackson; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 1132 |
| passed, | 1136 |
| 92. To provide temporary additional compensation to the officers of the State Prison for the year commencing December 1, A. D. 1866, and for the year commencing December 1, A. D. 1867; | |
| reported and ref.,..... | 1158 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1568 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2191 |
| passed, | 2275-6 |
| 93. To provide fees for circuit court commissioners in certain cases; | |
| reported and ref., | 1158 |
| 94. To enable the city of Battle Creek, in Calhoun county, and any of the townships in Calhoun, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph and Cass counties, to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Battle Creek, to some point on the State line of Indiana, in the county of Cass, by donation or pledge of credit; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1158 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1617 |
| passed, | 1641 |
| 95. To provide for the organization of the supreme court; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1158 |
| reported and ref. to the com. of the whole,..... | 1392 |
| com. of whole dis. from and passed,..... | 1605 |
| 96. To incorporate the city of Wyandotte; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 1161 |
| passed, | 1173 |
| 97. To legalize the tax-roll of the township of Port Huron, St. Clair county, Michigan; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 1166 |
| passed, | 1174 |
| 98. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize the formation of corporations for mining, smelting or manufacturing iron, copper, mineral coal, silver or other ores or minerals, and for other manufacturing purposes, approved February 5, 1853, by adding three new sections thereto; | |
| reported and ref.,..... | 1198 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1397 |
| passed, | 1471 |
| 99. To amend the charter of the city of Grand Rapids; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1193 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1226 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2051 |
| passed, | 2099 |

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| 100. To authorize the electors of the second ward in the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland, to raise by tax a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars, to pay Zeptanah B. Knight, for money by him advanced to fill the quota of said ward; | |
| received and ref., | 1193 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1240 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2003 |
| passed, | 2030 |
| 101. To confer additional powers upon the board of trustees of the village of Almont; | |
| received and ord. to third reading, | 1193 |
| passed, | 1211 |
| 102. To amend chapter 154, of the revised statutes of 1846, being chapter 180 of the compiled laws, entitled "of offenses against the lives and property of individuals;" | |
| received and ref., | 1197 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1718 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2194 |
| passed, | 2244 |
| 103. To amend an act entitled an act to amend sections 8, 9, 16 and 18, of the revised statutes of 1846, the same being chapter 118 of the compiled laws, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace; | |
| received and ref., | 1107 |
| 104. To provide for the protection and preservation of fish in certain lakes in the county of Cass; | |
| received and ref., | 1197 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1341 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2192 |
| passed, | 2259 |
| 105. To amend an act to organize union school district of the city of Baginaw, approved March 18, 1865; | |
| received and ref., | 1238 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1434 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2192 |
| passed, | 2256 |
| 106. To authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Jackson, to purchase certain volumes of abstracts, and to provide for compensation for the use of the same; | |
| received and ref., | 1238 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1522 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2052 |
| passed, | 2190 |
| 107. To re-incorporate the village of Wenona; | |
| received and ref., | 1208-9 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 1616 |
| passed, | 1535 |
| 108. Ceding to the United States jurisdiction over Fort Wayne, in the county of Wayne; | |
| received and ref., | 1299 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1819 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2198 |
| passed, | 2258 |
| 109. To organize certain townships in the county of Newaygo; | |
| received and ref., | 1299 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1363 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2192 |
| passed, | 2257 |

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| 110. For the relief of Edward J. Denroche; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1399 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1325 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1337 |
| passed,..... | 1360 |
| 111. For the preservation of certain kinds of fish in the waters of of Jackson county; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1360 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1361 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2191 |
| passed,..... | 2370 |
| 112. To amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, of chapter 187, being sections 5891, 5892, 5893 and 5894, of the compiled laws, relative to lotteries; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1304 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1322 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2051 |
| passed,..... | 2098 |
| 113. To provide a temporary home for disabled Michigan soldiers; | |
| received and ord. to third reading,..... | 1330 |
| passed,..... | 1352 |
| 114. To provide for the laying out and establishing a State road in the counties of St. Clair and Sanilac, to be called the County Line State Road; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1331 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1363 |
| tabled,..... | 2253 |
| 115. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of railroad companies, approved February 12, 1855, and an act amendatory thereof, approved March 15, 1861; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1336 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1789 |
| passed,..... | 1819 |
| 116. To provide a permanent soldiers' home commission, and to de- fine its duties; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1336 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1397 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2122 |
| passed,..... | 2247 |
| 117. To amend sections 2 and 23, of an act entitled an act to reincor- porate the village of Kalamazoo, and to repeal all inconsistent acts or parts of acts, approved March 15, 1861, and to add a new section thereto; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1336 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1366 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2191 |
| passed,..... | 2262 |
| 118. To repeal the charter of the Tecumseh and Dundee plank road company; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1337 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1389 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2192 |
| passed,..... | 2267 |
| 119. To incorporate the village of Newaygo; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1337 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1419 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1765 |
| passed,..... | 1769 |

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| 120. Relative to proof of demands in suit; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1409 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 2095 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2197 |
| passed,..... | 2262 |
| 121. To amend an act entitled "an act to revise the charter of the city of Adrian," approved March 20, 1865; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1409 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1419 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 2192 |
| passed,..... | 2256 |
| 122. To legalize the tax-roll of the township of Pittsfield, in the county of Washtenaw, for the year 1865; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1409 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1431 |
| passed,..... | 1478 |
| 123. To authorize the several townships in the counties of Livingston and Ingham to pledge their credit, and the county of Ingham to raise by tax, or borrow money, to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of Howell, in Livingston county, to the city of Lansing, in Ingham county; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1410 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1617 |
| passed,..... | 1650 |
| 124. To legalize the action of certain tax-paying electors of the township of Green Oak, in the county of Livingston, in the calling of an election to pledge the credit of said township, in aid of the construction of a railroad from some point near the city of Detroit, to Howell, in the county of Livingston; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1410 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1618 |
| lost,..... | 1658 |
| 125. To authorize the superintendents of the poor of the county of Allegan to provide for the construction of necessary buildings for the protection of the poor of said county; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1410 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 2148 |
| passed,..... | 2400 |
| 126. To authorize union school district No. 1, of the city of Marshall, Calhoun county, to borrow money for the purpose therein named; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1410 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1418 |
| reported and ordered to third reading,..... | 2192 |
| passed,..... | 2262 |
| 127. To authorize the townships in the counties of Kalamazoo, Van Buren, Allegan, Kent and Ottawa, to aid in extending the Kalamazoo and Schoolcraft railroad from Kalamazoo to Allegan, and to some point at or near the mouth of the Kalamazoo river, or to the village of Holland, or to some point on Grand river; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1410 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1615 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading,..... | 1633 |
| passed,..... | 1635-6 |
| 128. To regulate the weights and marks on casks and packages containing butter or lard; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1411 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1435 |
| reported and tabled,..... | 2192-4 |

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129. To authorize any of the several townships and cities upon, contiguous to, or conterminous with, the proposed line of railroad from the city of Detroit, to run northwesterly by the way of the village of Fenton and the Saginaw valley, to some point on the northwestern boundary of the State, to aid in its construction;
received and ref., 1411
reported and ord. to third reading, 1616-17
passed, 1649
130. To authorize any of the townships of the several counties of Bay, Iosco, Alcona, Alpena, Presque Isle, Cheboygan and Mackinac, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from Bay City, in the county of Bay, to the Straits of Mackinac, in the county of Cheboygan, by way of Au Sauble river and Alpena;
received and ref., 1411
reported and ord. to third reading, 1616-17
passed, 1653
131. To authorize townships and cities, in the counties of Jackson and Hillsdale, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from the city of Jackson to some point on the Ohio or Indiana State line;
received and ref., 1412
reported and ref. to com. of whole, 1616
com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, 1633
passed, 1636-7
132. To regulate insurance companies, and their agents, associations, partnerships and individuals, doing business and making insurance upon the life of domestic animals, and against loss by accident, disease or theft of such animals, not incorporated by the State of Michigan;
received and ref., 1444
reported and ord. to third reading, 2205
referred, 2389
reported and passed, 2394-5
133. To authorize any of the townships or municipalities of the counties of Bay, Tuscola, Saginaw, Genesee, Oakland, Livingston, Washtenaw, Lenawee and Monroe, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from some point in Bay, Saginaw or Genesee county, southward to the city of Toledo, in the State of Ohio;
received and ref., 1444
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passed, 1654
134. To amend an act to incorporate the city of Pontiac, approved March 15, 1861, and to amend an act amendatory thereto, approved March 18, 1865, and to add a new section thereto;
received and ref., 1444
reported and ord. to third reading, 1619
passed, 1741
135. To organize certain new towns in the county of Osceola, Michigan;
received and ref., 1444
reported and ref. to com. of whole, 1663
reported and ordered to third reading, 2196
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| 136. To attach townships 16, 18, 19 and 20 north, of range 11 west, in the unorganized county of Lake, to the county of Mecosta, for municipal and judicial purposes, and to organize the said towns by the name of Chase; | |
| received and ref., | 1445 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1663 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2193 |
| passed, | 2249 |
| 137. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize the several townships in the counties of Ingham, Clinton, Eaton and Ionia, to pledge their credit, to raise by tax or borrow money, to aid in the construction of a railroad from the village of Ionia, in Ionia county, to the city of Lansing, in Ingham county, approved March 21, 1865; | |
| received and ref., | 1445 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1618 |
| passed, | 1647 |
| 138. To enable the several townships in the counties of Ionia, Montcalm and Kent, to pledge their credit to aid in the construction of a railroad from Ionia, in the county of Ionia, to the village of Greenville, in the county of Montcalm; | |
| received and ref., | 1446 |
| reported and made special ord., | 1583 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 1611 |
| passed, | 1656 |
| 139. To authorize the township of Manlius, in the county of Allegan, to pay a bounty to residents of said township, who volunteered in the late war, and to levy a tax therefor; | |
| received and ref., | 1446 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1524 |
| com. of whole dis. from and ord. to third reading, | 1782 |
| passed, | 1803 |
| 140. To amend an act entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Detroit Gas Light Company;" | |
| received and ref., | 1446 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1563 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2192 |
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| 141. For the relief of the contractors of the Stony Creek ditch, in Monroe county; | |
| received and ref., | 1446 |
| 142. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Otsego, approved March 15, 1865; | |
| received and ref., | 1446 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 1516 |
| passed, | 1590 |
| 143. To legalize the election of officers in the village of Otsego, at the first election of officers in said village, held on the 15th of April, 1865, under the act of incorporation of said village, and to legalize their official acts as such officers; | |
| received and ref., | 1446 |
| reported and ordered to third reading, | 1590 |
| passed, | 1604 |
| 144. To authorize the trustees of the United Presbyterian Congregation, of Commerce, in Oakland county, to sell and convey the real estate of said corporation; | |
| received and ref., | 1524 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole, | 1723 |
| reported and ord. to third reading, | 2193 |
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| passed,..... | 2027 |
| 146. To lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Midland, Gladwin and Clare, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1524 |
| reported and ref. to com. of whole,..... | 1577 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 2191 |
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| taken from table and passed,..... | 2372-3 |
| 147. To lay out and establish a State road in the counties of Midland and Gladwin, and to appropriate certain non-resident highway taxes thereon; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1525 |
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| 148. To enable certain townships in Calhoun, Eaton and Ingham counties, to change the time of the delivery of bonds to the Peninsular Railway company; | |
| received and ref.,..... | 1525 |
| reported and made special ord.,..... | 1582 |
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| passed,..... | 1657 |
| 149. To enable certain cities and townships in Oakland, Livingston, Wayne, Monroe and Washtenaw counties, to change the time of the delivery of bonds to the Holly and Monroe railroad company; | |
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| reported and made special order,..... | 1582 |
| reported and ord. to third reading,..... | 1611 |
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| 150. To legalize the action of the annual and adjourned annual school meetings of school district number two, of the township of Summerfield, Monroe county, Michigan, for the year 1866; | |
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